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ROUND CORNER BLOCK.

CAME NEAR TO DEATH; WAS STRUCK BY A TRAIN

E. D. Smothers of Albany Injured at Seventh Street Crossing Yesterday Afternoon at 4:30.

TRIED TO BOARD MOVING TRAIN

Thrown Down and Struck--Pulled Out by Officer Winters.

E. D. Smothers of Freeport while trying to board a swiftly moving freight train in the Illinois Central yards Friday afternoon at 4:30 was knocked down and severely injured. He was saved from probable death by Officer Jack Winters. He had been hanging around Dement town all day, and said he was on his way to Davenport where he expected to get a job as motorman. He had been working on the Freeport street railway and was recognized by the railroad men who had seen him when he was acting in this capacity in that city. About 4:30 he went over to the Illinois Central yards. South bound freight train No. 171 in charge of Conductor J. F. Quaffee was pulling through the yards at a considerable speed and Smothers advanced as if he intended to get on the train.

"Don't try to get on that train," shouted Officer Jack Winters who was near. The man paid no attention to the command but grabbed at the brake handles and missed. The end of a box car struck him and pitched him forward. The journal box of the car struck him on the hip inflicting a deep gash.

When officer Winters saw that the man intended to board the train he sprang forward and was in time to pull him out from underneath the wheels. Smothers was taken out to one side of the track and made as easy as possible awaiting the arrival of the patrol wagon to take him to the hospital. He was bleeding profusely from cuts on the head, hip and left foot, but was conscious. "I ought to have minded what you said," he told Officer Winters. "and staid off." Smothers was gritty and kept his nerve on the way to the hospital, even going so far as to sing a verse of the popular song. The company physician was not available and two other physicians were called, the work of sewing up the cuts and attending to his wounds occupying about two hours. This morning he is quite comfortable and it is announced that he is not as badly hurt as at first thought. He will be out some time next week. Smothers gave his residence as Albany, Ill., and says he has a wife and two children.

Those who witnessed the accident were Rear Brakeman F. E. Munson, John McMahon, M. C. Stahl, P. J. McIntyre, E. F. Reed and John Reilly. Engineer Lavel and Fireman Shultz were in the cab of Engine No. 738 hauling the freight and the head brakeman was Ned Loveland.

WILL PATROL THE RIVER

Elks Make Arrangements for Search Tomorrow--Refuse \$50.

The Elks are arranging to thoroughly patrol the river from Dixon to Sterling tomorrow, some parties being in launches and others following both banks down in hopes of finding the body of Frank Ayres.

MAY GET DIVER.

Deputy Sheriff M. J. McGowan and Lou O. Rosbrook went to Chicago this morning to try and make arrangements to secure a diver to work in the river tomorrow. Major Wheeler has been interviewed and states that it is possible for the body of Frank Ayres to be held back of the current pouring over the dam in which case it would be resting against the cribs. This statement is to be investigated.

APPROPRIATE \$100.

At an informal meeting of a number of the council members yesterday afternoon it was agreed that the council should appropriate \$100 toward the expense the Elks will incur in getting the diver here.

DECLINE REWARD.

Today officials of the Knights of Pythias tendered to James Boyer and W. A. Schuler a check for \$50 in payment of the reward offered for the recovery of the body of Ed. Goodrich. The gentlemen declined to accept the reward, saying they were actuated by other than mercenary motives in their search.

JAPANESE VICE ADMIRAL IS HEADED FOR MANILA

SUPERVISORS TO MEET.

Convene for Organization at Court House Monday, May 1.

On May 1 the board of Supervisors will meet at the court house in this city and organize. A chairman will be selected at this meeting and the members of several standing committees will be appointed.

PICTURES WERE GOOD

Many Enjoyed the Moving Picture Entertainment Given by John Dixon Guards.

ANOTHER PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

The Armory Was Well Filled With Young and Old.

A large audience witnessed the moving picture entertainment given by the John Dixon Guards at the Armory last night. The pictures were educational, entertaining and exciting and the Guards are to be congratulated upon bringing to this city an entertainment so meritorious. The best features of the evening were the Bold Bank Robbery, and Under the Stars and Stripes. The latter was a beautiful picture with songs accompanying.

The picture, Excursion Through Italy, is a grand picture showing streets of Venice, feeding the doves, at Mt. Vesuvius. The best comic pictures ever seen were given last night. The picture play "Ben Hur" was something wonderful and the Fire Fighters showing firemen sliding down poles and the rescue of a woman and child was full of interest and excitement.

THE PROGRAM TONIGHT.

Tonight the program will consist of an entire change. The finest and most spectacular picture ever made, "A Trip to the Moon" will be the chief feature this evening. There will also be exhibited the exciting and thrilling picture "The Great Train Robbery." "Buster Brown and His Dog Tige" given tonight will alone be worth the price of admission. The illustrated song, "For Sale—A Baby" will be the hit tonight.

BANKRUPTCY CHANGE

By New Ruling Petitions Will Be Filed With Referee Instead of the Judge.

IN LEE COUNTY WITH H. S. DIXON

Cases in This District Will Be Tried at Freeport.

All petitions in bankruptcy which hereafter originate in the new Western division of the Northern district of Illinois should be filed with the clerk of the United District Court at Freeport. The Western division comprises the counties of Boone, Winnebago, Stephenson, Jo Daviess, Carroll, Ogle, Whiteside and Lee.

Petitions for the appointment of receivers should no longer be made to the judge of the court at Chicago but, by virtue of a rule of court adopted April 21st, 1905, the petitioner is required to present his petition to the referee in bankruptcy having jurisdiction in the county in which the bankrupt resides or does business. In accordance with the provisions of this rule in all cases arising in this county the appointment of receivers will be made by Referee Henry S. Dixon, of Dixon, Illinois.

Not a Director.

Dr. F. E. Morris informs us that he will not serve as a director of the Oak Park Amusement Co. and that the appointment was without his sanction.

—Miss Ida Wigum and Miss Minnie Hildman came up from West Brooklyn today.

—We call your attention to the half page advertisement of Van Epps' Park addition which appears on the last page of this evening's TELEGRAPH. These choice lots are all they are represented to be as they are only 8 and 9 blocks east of the bank corners and are moderately priced.

Emperor Nicholas Has Ordered Russians to Leave French Territorial Waters.

PREPARING FOR BATTLE THERE

Brewers Will Help St. Louis Observe Sunday Closing Law

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

Manila, April 22.—Japanese Consul Narita Goro received a cablegram addressed to Vice Admiral Kamimura, who is in charge of the Japanese squadron, and it is inferred from this that he is about to make a call at this port.

Orders Russian Fleet to Leave.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

Paris, April 22.—A semi-official telegram from St. Petersburg says that Emperor Nicholas has ordered Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron to leave French territorial waters.

Preparing for Battle in Harbor.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

Tokio, April 22.—The navy department has indisputable proof that Rojestvensky's squadron is using Kamranh harbor to clean ships and prepare for battle.

French Secretary Won't Resign.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

Paris, April 22.—Delcasse has informed President Loubet that he will not resign the office of foreign affairs.

St. Louis Quiet Tomorrow.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

St. Louis, Mo., April 22.—St. Louis will be given a rest once in every seven days if the plan of the brewers to have the Sunday closing law enforced to the last extremity does not fail.

In a conference of agents of all the breweries in St. Louis an agreement was made to submit to the closing order and shut down absolutely, but in so doing they will insist that the law be applied strictly to all lines of business.

They advocate the stopping of street cars on Sunday, the abolition of Sunday newspapers, the closing of all news and cigar stands and the prohibition of drug stores to sell anything but medicine.

OLD CITIZEN DIES

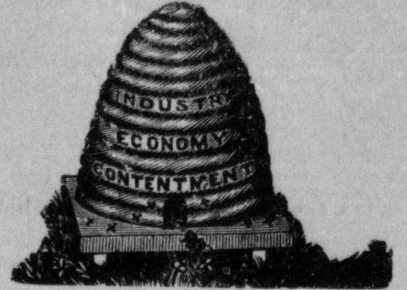
Wife of William C. Woolley Died This Morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. William C. Woolley died this morning at 10 o'clock at her late residence, 421 Nachusa avenue. Mrs. Woolley suffered two or three paralytic strokes, the last one being about seven years ago. This one affected her left side. Her last sickness was of short duration, she being ill only Wednesday of this week. Mrs. Woolley's mind was strong and clear up to the time of her death, and she was a great reader. Deceased was born at Warrington, England, September 5, 1829, and would have been 76 years old the coming September. Mrs. Woolley's maiden name was Mary Webb and she was married in England June 22, 1850, to William C. Woolley. They came to America in 1853 coming direct to Dixon. Her husband and three children survive her; the children are Mrs. S. W. Youngman, Mrs. W. C. Jones and W. W. Woolley, all residing in this city. The deceased was a member of the Episcopal church, having joined the church in England. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the house.

DIED AT PORTLAND.

Mrs. Carrie A. Myers of No. 1509 Third street yesterday received a telegram containing the notice of her sister's husband, Atty. S. W. Marks, at Portland, Oregon. But half an hour before the arrival of the telegram Mrs. Myers received a letter written by the deceased on Tuesday, containing news of the progress of the exposition. The cause of his death is not known. He was about 55 years of age.

EICHLER BROS'



BEE HIVE.

SATURDAY, APRIL 22,

—AS AN—

Easter Stimulant

Will give Double Trading Stamps on all purchases on that day. In addition a special sale price will be made on many articles especially our Ladies' ready-to-wear Gowns, Dress Skirts, Cravettes, Shirt Waists, Shirt Suits, a large line of Dress Goods, Ladies' Summer Underwear, Lace Curtains.

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EICHLER BROS' BEE HIVE.

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EVERY house-keeper asks this question while racking her brain to think of something new for the next meal. Go to the cooking school. Mrs. Org will inspire new thoughts on You may want some new cooking utensils. Your sauce-pan may leak, your egg-beater be out of gear, the enamel off your coffee pot makes your coffee taste bad. Remember there is no place that will serve you as well as this store.

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DIXON, ILLINOIS.

One Week Special Sale

—OF—

Ladies' Jackets, Rain Coats and Dress Skirts.

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COMFORTERS to make. Quilting done in satisfactory manner. Mrs. Rose Spill 3641

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PAES Iron, Copper, Bott. ea. anything that can be turned into money should not be turned out you should call up 415 Lee County phone and I will call and pay you cash for them. Or write me: S. Rubenstein, 116 North First.

ENERGETIC man each county to paint signs, and distribute samples. Salary \$15 weekly and expenses. Honesty and a disposition to earn salary more essential than experience. C. A. Parker, 720 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 82328

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EGGS from pure bred white plymouth rocks. J. H. Drew 708 North Galena Ave 89124

100 COORDS of green, soft wood \$2.75 per cord delivered or \$1.75 on ground. Inquire of Chas. Eastman. 388-17

A LAR. Eice chest in good condition, suitable for restaurant or boarding house. Mrs. Rustac Shaw, 156 Bluff Park or this office. 7911

160 ACRES of land in Hand county, south Dakota, one and a half miles from Westington, on main line of C. & N. W. R. R. Good soil and best of water. For particulars call on or write to J. H. Drew, 708 North Galena Ave. 89124

TROTTER Horse, stallion, shows speed of 2:25 weight 1150, beautiful bay, gentle, 3 years old. Enquire Geo. L. Kimball, 419 South Galena Ave. 89124

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COAL office known as Curran's at 608 Depot Ave., June 1st. Mrs. Mary Curran. 9213

A Four room new cottage College avenue. Good electric and well. In good repair. Inquire 922 Seventh St. 861

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QUICK rooms in Union Block formerly occupied by E. H. Prince Co., Enquire of S. C. Edlin, City National Bank. 641

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LOST

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A GOOD man to remove garbage and ashes. Also to clean your cesspools and closets. Dead animals removed. Disinfectants for sale. Both phones. Wm. N. Gilbert, Dixon. 481

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Don't forget if you want to save money on a Suit come and see us.
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Women's fine Dongola Shoes 98c a pair
Women's fine V. C. Kid \$1.50 to \$2.25 a pair.
Men's Work Shoes, solid as rock \$1.25
Men's Satin Calf Sewed Shoes \$1.25 to \$1.35 a pair.
Boys' Satin Calf Shoes 95c to \$1.35 a pair.
Children's Dongola Shoes, 2 to 5, 40c
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ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order and decree of the county court of Lee County, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, administrators of the estate of Edward Fitzsimmons, deceased, for leave to sell all interest of the said deceased, in and to the real estate hereinafter described under and by virtue of contract of purchase possessed by the said deceased at the time of his death, at the April Term, A. D. 1905 of said court, to-wit: on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1905, said administrators, shall on the 13th day of May, next, sell at public sale, at the north door of the court house in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, all interest of said deceased in and to the following described real estate under and by virtue of contract of purchase of said deceased by him, to-wit: the North East quarter and the East half of the North West Quarter of Section number Twenty-four, Township number Eight, Range number Four, in Lee County, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit: to the highest and best bidder for cash.
Dated this 15th day of April, A. D. 1905
JOHN FITZSIMMONS & PETER FITZSIMMONS,
Administrators of the Estate of Edward Fitzsimmons, deceased. 8614B

—Miss Nellie Thomas spent yesterday in Chicago.

—Atty. F. E. Andrews was up from Sterling today.

—Mrs. Edmond Camp is visiting her sister Mrs. Rising in Chicago.

—Supervisor Henry Gehant and Emil Henry were here yesterday from West Brooklyn.

—John A. Deeter who has been seriously ill at the hospital for a few days is resting easier today.

—Charles Franklin arrived home today from Deadwood, South Dakota, where he has been for upwards of a year.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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How British Cities Manage Public Utilities

Liverpool's Experience as Owner and Operator of Its Street Railways and Electric Lighting and Power Industry

By FREDERICK UPHAM ADAMS

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BEYOND all question transportation occupies first place among the municipal problems now commanding attention in Great Britain. Liverpool was one of the pioneers in tramway construction, though it was only recently that the municipality came into full possession of tramway properties. Its experience with the boasted English conservatism is fairly typical. After George Francis Train and other Americans had demonstrated at Birkenhead, a suburb of Liverpool, the practicability of tramways the city authorized a company to use its streets for that purpose. This was in 1869. Four years later the service was so insufficient that the city served notice on the company to remove its tracks. Subsequently a compromise was made by which the city reconstructed the lines at the cost of the company. In 1879 the company entered into an agreement with the city under which the latter purchased the existing lines for \$150,000 and completed various other lines, leasing the whole system to the company at a rental of 7½ per cent on the purchase money from the date of construction, the lines to be maintained at the cost of the city. In 1895 the city made a lease to the company extending until 1915, but reserved the right to purchase under certain conditions.

Two years later the patience of Liverpool was exhausted. The company utterly failed to properly manage its affairs. Its rates were extortionate and its service worse. It absolutely refused to introduce mechanical or electrical power, and after due deliberation the city decided to acquire and operate the undertaking. Parliament granted the power, and in 1897 the entire system passed into the hands of the municipal authorities, the purchase price being about \$2,500,000.

The city went about the tramway enterprise in a thorough business way. It proceeded to engage the services of C. R. Bellamy, one of the foremost of English civil and mechanical engineers, a man fully conversant with the science and practice of transportation on both sides of the Atlantic. In two years' time the hundred miles of horse car tracks had been transformed to electrical traction, and in addition there had been laid forty miles of new track.

The citizens were delighted with the change. In the place of filthy, ill lighted and slow moving horse cars, running at long intervals, there was installed a system which in all respects compares favorably with the best modern practice in the United States or on the continent. More than that, the city made a sweeping reduction in the rates of fare.

It reduced the hours of its conductors and motormen from eighty to sixty a week and actually paid them more for the shorter hour day than they had formerly been receiving. The private company sold the men's uniforms and received a tidy profit from the transaction. The city gave uniforms to its men and only insisted that they keep them clean and in good repair, so as to reflect credit on their employer.

The first year of electrical traction and of a trial of all of those radical reforms was 1901, and when all expenses had been paid there remained a profit of more than \$700,000. The best the private company had been able to show with its high fares, low wages and niggardly policy was \$184,000. After paying into the sinking fund, meeting interest charges and setting aside \$175,000 for renewals and depreciation there remained a large sum.

The profits for the second year were \$865,000, an increase over the preceding year of \$165,000. The tramways department contributed \$125,000 of this to the general tax fund.

In addition to its voluntary contribution to the general fund the municipal tramway pays its taxes just as if it were a private corporation. This practice is common with the municipal enterprises of all cities in Great Britain. Municipal tenements and cottages, municipal gas plants and electrical lighting and power stations, tramways, markets and all other revenue seeking institutions pay not only city but also income taxes. Last year Liverpool's tramways paid in taxes a sum exceeding \$65,000. The city owns the electrical power plant, but the tramways department was charged with every unit of power it used. It therefore stands squarely on its own bottom.

Almost simultaneously with its purchase of the tramways Liverpool set about to acquire the electric lighting and power industry. The private company was a fairly prosperous one, but parliament gave Liverpool the right to purchase its plant. After protracted negotiations a price of \$2,000,000 was agreed on. Of this sum \$600,000 was a bonus, while the balance represented the actual value of the plant turned over by the company.

The city did not make this purchase for the sole purpose of generating electricity for its municipal use. It sought and obtained a grant which enabled it to furnish light and power to all users. The advocates of this step urged that numerous benefits would

follow from the installation and operation of a municipality owned and operated plant. The city would obtain its light and power at cost, private users would receive theirs at a minimum advance over the actual cost, and therefore have an advantage over outside competitors, who were compelled to pay rates which yielded large dividends to private owners of light and power plants. Again, the surplus profits would go to the relief of tax rates, thereby making the circle of economy complete.

Immediately after the acquiring of this property the tramways also came into the possession of the city, and the question arose whether or not to make one generating system serve for all purposes. The opinions of experts were called for. It was the consensus of opinion that a pressure of 500 volts would enable the same plant to be used for lighting and traction and that there would be a distinct gain as regards first cost, management, economy and surplus power attained by combination. It was therefore decided to erect two large power stations.

Each station has a capacity of 20,000 horsepower, but so great has been the demand made on them that new ones are needed, and some have already been constructed. England has learned to use the refuse swept from the streets for fuel. Several small power stations deriving their power from the burning of the refuse are now in successful operation, and it is expected that the total supply from this source will reach 10,000 horsepower. A few years ago Liverpool spent large sums of money for the purpose of throwing this material and its stored up energy away. When the plant passed from the control of the private company its output was less than 3,000,000 units. It has grown in seven years to ten times that amount.

When the city purchased the undertaking from private interests the rate charged for lighting was 7½ pence per unit and for power 5 pence per unit. At the present time the rates are 4 pence for lighting, 2 pence for street lighting, 2 pence for power up to 3,000 units per quarter and 1½ pence thereafter. The charge to the tramways is 1.2 pence per unit. In other words, the price has been more than cut in half, and this has been done despite the fact that the price of coal, oil and every item of expense has decidedly increased since the city took control of the plant.

Liverpool has invested \$7,500,000 in her electrical plant. The profits for the year ended on Jan. 1, 1903, were in round figures \$500,000. After meeting all charges and setting aside a liberal amount for renewals and depreciation the electrical department made a contribution of \$60,000 to the tax fund. It also paid \$33,000 as its share of the taxes. The amount written off for bad debts was less than \$1,500.

At the present time it is likely that Liverpool's investment in its combined tramway and electrical plant will reach \$20,000,000. Liverpool is an example of what it is possible to accomplish in a short time. It is only seven years ago that the city essayed this stupendous experiment in public ownership. It is only fair to observe that the benefits derived from reduced rates and improved services far outweigh the direct money profits. As the interest charges decrease steadily year by year it is the settled policy of Liverpool to yet further decrease the price of tramway tickets and the rates fixed for light and power. This is rendered obligatory by a clause precluding the payment of more than a certain amount to the relief of taxes.

Liverpool is a rich and a great city, with broad, well paved streets, magnificent public buildings, beautiful parks and a progressive and enterprising administration. It is one of the world's most opulent property owners. Exclusive of its streets, parks and its interest in the miles of docks, it owns property which has a market price of between \$85,000,000 and \$90,000,000.

One may be born in a Liverpool municipal hospital, be educated and trained in its schools and colleges, may earn a living by working for it in a score of capacities; he may live in a house the rent of which goes to the city as his landlord; he may retire on a municipal pension, may die and be cremated at public expense, or his bones may rest in a municipal burial ground. All of this is possible despite the fact that no city in the United Kingdom offers a better field for individual effort, nor is there any community where private enterprise is surer of material rewards. The unquenchable stranger never realizes that so many services are administered by the representatives of the taxpayers and in their behalf.

Liverpool has its "old city" the same as London, and that ancient corporation still has special privileges and derives vast profits from grants and estates which have been handed down for hundreds of years. But, like London, the nominal beneficiaries do not dare to appropriate to themselves more than a modest share of these titles, and they are awaiting the inevitable time when the scepter of ownership will be taken from them.

Rev. Idleman Has 728 Conversions in His Church.

The greatest revival meeting ever held by a single church in the United States closed Tuesday night at the Christian church in Paris, Ill., with 728 additions. This is the church of which Rev. Finis Idleman, formerly of Dixon, is pastor. He was assisted by Evangelist Charles Reign Scoville. In his closing sermon the evangelist said: "I want to speak of the one man to whom above all others, this church, this evangelist and this city are indebted for the great victory which has been won in the King's name. No man ever stood more royally or loyally by me than Brother Finis Idleman; pastor of this church and servant of the Most High God."

LOCUSTS HERE SOON.

Last Time They Made Their Appearance Was in 1888.

The seventeen year locusts will be due the present summer. They were here in 1854, again in 1871 and again in 1888. In some localities the locusts are so near the surface of the ground that farmers are plowing them out of the ground.

SOME FOUND NEAR STERLING.

Edwin Powell of Woodlawn near Sterling found great numbers of the chrysalides in the ground while plowing in his raspberry patch. Mr. Powell states that he found the insects in their early stages of formation and also many of them nearly ready to come from the ground. Some had cast off their old shells and were found creeping in the ground. The locusts seemed to be much more numerous near the roots of the raspberry bushes than they were at a short distance from the patch. They were also found in great numbers near an orchard on Mr. Powell's farm.

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WOMEN NOT TRUTHFUL

This Statement Has Been Unjustly Made, Because Modest Women Evade Questions Asked By Male Physicians.



An eminent physician says that "Women are not truthful; they will lie to their physician." This statement should be qualified; women do tell the truth, but not the whole truth, to a male physician, but this is only in regard to those painful and troublesome disorders peculiar to their sex.

There can be no more terrible ordeal to a delicate, sensitive, refined woman than to be obliged to answer certain questions when those questions are asked, even by her family physician. This is especially the case with unmarried women.

Is it any wonder, then, that women continue to suffer and that doctors fail to cure female diseases when they cannot get the proper information to work on?

This is the reason why thousands and thousands of women are now corresponding with Mrs. Pinkham. To her they can and do give every symptom, so that she really knows more about the true condition of her patients, through her correspondence with them, than the physician who personally questions them.

If you suffer from any form of trouble peculiar to women, write at once to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and she will advise you free of charge.

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Mrs. Ella Lee, Frankford, Ind., writes:
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The SOWERS

By
Henry Seton Merriman

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CHAPTER XXX.

"HAVE you spoken to the princess?" asked Steinmetz, without taking the cigar from his lips.

They were driving home through the forest that surrounded Osterno as the sea surrounds an island. They were alone in the sleigh. That which they had been doing had required no servant.

"Yes," answered Paul. His face was set and hard, his eyes stern. This trouble with the peasants was affecting him more keenly than he suspected.

"And what did she say?" asked Steinmetz.

"That she would not leave unless we all went with her."

Steinmetz drew the furs closer up round him.

"Yes," he said, glancing at his companion's face and seeing little but the eyes by reason of the sable collar of his coat, which met the fur of his cap—"yes, and why not?"

"I cannot leave them," answered Paul. "I cannot go away now that there is trouble among them. What it is goodness only knows! They would never have got like this by themselves. Somebody has been at them, and I don't think it is the nihilists. It is worse than that. Some devil has been stirring them up, and they know no better. He is still at it. They are getting worse day by day, and I cannot catch him. If I do, Steinmetz, I'll twist his neck!"

Steinmetz smiled grimly.

"Yes," he answered; "you are capable of it. For me, I am getting tired of the moulk. He is an inveterate, incurable fool. If he is going to be a dangerous fool as well, I should almost be inclined to let him go to the devil in his own way."

"I dare say, but you are not in my position."

"No, that is true, Pavlo. They were not my father's serfs. Generations of my ancestors have not saved generations of their ancestors from starvation. My fathers before me have not toiled and slaved and legislated for them. I have not learned medicine that I might doctor them."

"If I agree to make a bolt for Petersburg tomorrow, will you come?" retorted Paul.

"No," answered the stout man.

"I thought not. Your cynicism is only a matter of words, Steinmetz, and not of deeds. There is no question of either of us leaving Osterno. We must stay and fight it right out here."

"That is so," answered Steinmetz, with the Teutonic stolidity of manner which sometimes came over him. "But the ladies—what of them?"

Paul did not answer. They were passing over the rise of a heavy drift.

"This is no place for Miss Delafield," added Steinmetz, looking straight in front of him.

"I know that!" answered Paul sharply. "I wish to God she was not here!" he added in a lower tone, and the words were lost beneath the frozen mustache.

Steinmetz made no answer. They drove on through the gathering gloom. The sky was of a yellow gray, and the earth reflected the dismal hue of it. Presently it began to snow, driving in a fine haze from the north. The two men lapsed into silence.

"Stop!" cried Steinmetz suddenly, and Paul pulled the horses on to their haunches.

"I thought you were asleep," he said. There was no one in sight. They were driving along the new road now, the highway Paul had constructed from Osterno to Tver. The road itself was, of course, indistinguishable, but the telegraph posts marked its course.

Steinmetz tumbled heavily out of his furs and went toward the nearest telegraph post.

"Where is the wire?" he shouted. Paul followed him in the sleigh. Together they peered up into the darkness and the falling snow. The posts were there, but the wire was gone. A whole length of it had been removed. They were cut off from civilization by 140 miles of untrodden snow.

Steinmetz clambered back into the sleigh and drew up the fur apron. He gave a strange little laugh that had a ring of boyish excitement in it. This man had not always been stout and plaid.

"That settles one question," he said. "Which question?" asked Paul.

He was driving as hard as the horses could lay hoof to ground, taken with a sudden misgiving and a great desire to reach Osterno before dark.

"The question of the ladies," replied Steinmetz. "It is too late for them to go now."

At the castle all seemed to be in order. The groom in his great sheepskin coat was waiting in the doorway. The servants threw open the vast doors and stood respectfully in the warm, brilliantly lighted hall while their master passed in.

"Where is the princess?" Steinmetz asked his valet while he was removing the evidences of a long day in the open air.

"In her drawing room, excellency."

"Then go and ask her if she will give me a cup of tea in a few minutes."

A few minutes later Steinmetz, pre-

sending himself at the door of the little drawing room attached to Etta's suite of rooms, found the princess in a matchless tea gown waiting beside a table laden with silver tea appliances.

"You see," she said, with a smile, for she always smiled on men, "I have obeyed your orders."

"I begin to think," said Steinmetz, coming to the point in his bluff way, "that you are a sort of beautiful Jonah, a graceful, stormy petrel, a fair Wandering Jewess. There is always trouble where you go."

She glanced at his broad face and read nothing there.

"Go on," she said. "What have I been doing now? How do you hate me, Herr Steinmetz?"

"Perhaps it is safer than loving you," he answered, with his grim humor.

"You are horribly grave," she said.

"The situation," he replied, "is horribly grave."

Etta looked up at him as he stood before her, and the lamplight, falling on the perfect oval of her face, showed it to be white and drawn.

She sat looking up into his strong, grave face, and during all that followed she never moved.

"I know you," he said, "to be courageous, and must ask you to believe that I exaggerate nothing in what I am about to tell you. I tell it to you instead of leaving Paul to do so because I know his complete fearlessness and his blind faith in a people who are unworthy of it. He does not realize the gravity of the situation. They are his own people. A sailor never believes that his own ship is unseaworthy."

"Go on," said Etta, for he had paused.

"This country," he continued, "is unsettled. The people of the estate are on the brink of a revolt. You know what the Russian peasants are. It will be no Parisian uprising—half noise, half laughter. We cannot hope to hold this old place against them; we cannot get away from it; we cannot send for help, because we have no one to send. Princess, this is no time for half confidences. I know—for I know these people better even than Paul knows them—I am convinced, that this is not the outcome of their own brains. They are being urged on by some one. There is some one at their backs. This is no revolt of the peasants, organized by the peasants. Princess, you must tell me all you know!"

"I—I," she stammered—"I know nothing!"

And then suddenly she burst into tears and buried her face in a tiny, useless handkerchief. It was so unlike her and so sudden that Steinmetz was startled.

He laid his great hand soothingly on her shoulder.

"I know," he said quietly—"I know more than you think. I am no saint, princess, myself. I, too, have had my difficulties. I have had my temptations, and I have not always resisted. God knows it is difficult for men to do always the right thing. It is a thousand times more difficult for women. When we spoke together in Petersburg and I offered you my poor friendship I was not acting in the dark. I knew as much then as I do now. Princess, I knew about the Charity league papers; I knew more than any except Stepan Lanovitch, and it was he who told me."

He was stroking her shoulder with the soothing movements that one uses toward a child in distress. His great hand, broad and thick, had a certain sense of quiet comfort and strength in it. Etta ceased sobbing and sat with bowed head, looking through her tears into the gay wood fire. It is probable that she failed to realize the great charity of the man who was speaking to her.

"Is that all he knows?" she was wondering.

The suggestion that Sydney Bam-

borough was not dead had risen up to eclipse all other fear in her mind. In some part her thought reached him.

"I know so much," he said, "that it is safest to tell me more. I offered you my friendship because I think that no woman could carry through your difficulties unaided. Princess, the admiration of Claude de Chauville may be pleasant, but I venture to think that my friendship is essential."

Etta raised her head a little. She was within an ace of handing over to Karl Steinmetz the rod of power held over her by the Frenchman.

"I have known De Chauville twenty-five years," he went on, and Etta deferred her confession. "We have never been good friends, I admit. I am no saint, princess, but De Chauville is a villain. Some day you may discover when it is too late that it would have been for Paul's happiness, for your happiness, for every one's good, to have nothing more to do with Claude de Chauville. I want to save you that discovery. Will you act upon my advice? Will you make a stand now? Will you come to me and tell me all that De Chauville knows about you that he could ever use against you? Will you give yourself into my hands—give me your battle to fight? You cannot do it alone. Only believe in my friendship, princess. That is all I ask."

Etta shook her head.

"I think not," she answered in a

voice too light, too superficial, too hopelessly shallow, for the depth of the moment. She was thinking only of Sydney Bamorough and of that dread secret. She fought with what arms she wielded best—the lightest, the quickest, the most baffling.

"As you will," said Steinmetz.

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"IN THE YEAR 2000"

Is the Platform Masterpiece of Rev. B. Welbourn, Scientist, in Assembly Program.

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Is Scientific Edition of the New York Educational Gazette.

It is doubtful if any other scientific lecturer who has come before the public in the last decade has won such a permanent reputation as has Reno B. Welbourn. Never sensational, but always conservative, never having resorted to the tricks of advertising, but always relying on his own record of work actually performed, he has come justly to the title, 'greatest of America's younger scientists.'

Mr. Welbourn first came into prominence because of his invention of the vibrating oscillator used in wireless telegraphy. Then followed the naval signal-light apparatus (which he was invited to exhibit before the U. S. Navy Department), the thermo-wireless fire alarm, Hertzian torpedo, and railroad signal system, all of which stamped him as a genius.

In the realm of pure physics he is best known for having successfully produced the different colors of light by artificially changing the wavelength, and for having made many exhaustive researches into the mysteries of fluorescence and invisible light.

At the present time he is carrying on extensive experiments in the attempt to solve the problem of increasing human energy. The results of these experiments, as well as the experiments themselves, will be given at the Assembly this year in the two lectures, "My Electrical Garden," and "In the year 2000," the latter of which is his platform masterpiece.

During the past six seasons he has devoted his entire time to the lecture platform, and the writing of scientific papers. No better index of his success could possibly be written than to recount the fact that at different times he has received the personal aid of the greatest scientists in the world, including Lord Kelvin, Nikola Tesla, Sig. Marconi, Sir William Crookes, Sir James Dewar, Sir Oliver Lodge, and Ernst Rutherford of Berlin. He is now scientific editor of the New York Educational Gazette.

NATIONAL PICNIC

Ten Thousand Mystic Workers Will Meet at Clinton in July.

The national picnic of the Mystic Workers of the World is to be held in Clinton this summer, and preparations are in progress for the event. Committees have been selected from the membership of the two lodges of the order there, and a splendid program is being prepared.

Joe R. Adams of Plano, Ill., editor of the official organ of the M. W. W., says that Clinton may expect fully 1,000 visitors from Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and other states.

Mrs. Fiske's "Leah Kleschna" Scores.

Mrs. Fiske and the Manhattan Company in "Leah Kleschna" have won a great success at the Grand Opera House, Chicago, where they opened a three weeks' engagement on Monday, April 17.

It was the first time "Leah Kleschna" had been presented outside of New York, Mrs. Fiske and her company coming direct from the Manhattan Theatre, where they had been playing for thirty-one weeks. The play and the company repeated their New York success and the reviewers declare it one of the strongest and best acted dramas ever seen in Chicago. Leah is said to be the best role Mrs. Fiske has had since "Tess of the D'Urbervilles." John Mason, George Arliss, Charles Cartwright, William B. Mack, and the others in the cast also do conspicuously good acting. The settings, especially that of the last act, have aroused great admiration.

Baby Boys.

A son arrived yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Barngrover, No. 411 Galena avenue.

A son was born yesterday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phelps, No. 118 East Eighth street.

Canon City Conversions.

A total of five hundred and sixty-seven conversions are reported up to Monday night in the Sunday meetings at Canon City.

Dixon Church Services.

Regular and Special Meetings for Sunday and Hours of Services.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Second street, between Galena and Ottawa avenue. Pastor, W. A. Billings. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. L. Frost, superintendent. Baraca Bible Class for men. Preaching services 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday evening 7:30.

Morning theme—"The Christian's Crucifixion."

Evening theme—"Paul's Message to the Church."

At the close of the evening service there will be a beautiful baptismal service for boys and girls.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Peoria Avenue and Second Street. Rev. William Craven, D. D., Pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Geo. C. Heritage, superintendent. 3:30 p. m. Junior League, Mrs. Russell, superintendent.

Epworth League at 8:30 p. m.

Subject of morning sermon—"Easter Assurance of Immortality."

Evening sermon—"Do I Hope or Fear for the Future and Why?"

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. W. L. Rutherford, pastor of St. Paul's—corner of Second street and Hennepin avenue. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Owen Clymer, Superintendent. Morning service at 11 a. m. Junior Endeavor 5 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

[GERMAN.]

Corner Sixth street, and Highland avenue.

Rev. Henry F. Schmidt, Pastor. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Mr. C. Krug, Superintendent of Sunday School.

All children are requested to bring a fresh egg for the hospital.

Easter services will be at 2 p. m. All members are requested to come, as important announcements will be made.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL.

Corner Van Buren Avenue and Fourth street. Rev. J. G. Brooks, Pastor. Sabbath School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Miss Howell, superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A special feature of the meeting.

GERMAN BAPTIST BRETHREN.

The German Baptist Brethren will hold services each Sunday morning in the Universalists' church on the corner of Hennepin avenue and Second street at 11 o'clock.

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Everybody invited. Rev. C. M. Suter, minister in charge.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 215-217 First street, second floor. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. Reading room open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m.

Subject—"Everlasting Punishment."

UNITED EVANGELICAL.

Grace Evangelical church, Fellows and Ottawa. North Dixon. Rev. E. O. Rife, pastor. 9:45 a. m. Bible School. 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching. 6:45 p. m. K. L. C. E. Wednesday 7:30 Mid-Week Devotional and Teachers' Meeting on Friday evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold an early morning prayer and praise service tomorrow from 6:30 to 7:15.

Theme for morning sermon—"Evidences of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ."

An evangelistic service will be held in the evening.

There will be a reception of members in the morning.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

J. Fredwell Stone, minister. First street, near Madison avenue. Bible School at 9:45 a. m. Dr. C. O. Kost, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Third street, between Galena and Ottawa. Rev. S. S. Cryer, D. D., Pastor. Preaching Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by pastor. Sunday School at close of morning service; A. S. Tobias, Superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Morning subject—"Now Is Christ from the Dead"—an Easter sermon.

Evening A cantata—"The Risen King" and Talk—Because I Live Ye Shall Live Also.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL.

Cor. Peoria avenue and Third street. Rev. J. M. Ericsson, Rector. Residence 209 Third St. Sunday services, for Palm Sunday, April 16th, 1905. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. except first Sunday in month. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a. m. Holy Communion first Sunday in the month. Evensong at 5 p. m.

Vespers daily at 4:45 except Wednesday, Wednesday—10:30 a. m. Litany, Penitential Office and Meditation; 7:45 p. m. Evening Prayer and Instruction.

Fridays—4:45 p. m. Penitential Office and Readings; 7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

ST. PATRICK'S.

Corner Seventh Street and Highland Avenue. Rev. Foley, Pastor. Rev. Monahan, Assistant Pastor. Low Mass 8 a. m. High Mass 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Baptism 3:30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Cor. Second street and Hennepin avenue. Joseph Newton, pastor. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Bible Class Thursday evening. Preaching at 4:30 Sunday afternoon.

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Of all the plays that Shakespeare wrote, Othello comes nearest to the modern ideals, in matter and in form. The passion dealt with it jealousy—a theme that has supplied three fourths of the modern writers with their material. The construction of the drama is so well adapted to the requirements of the modern stage that very little is cut from the original and the actor has the satisfaction of knowing that he is playing the piece almost as Shakespeare's hand wrote it. Every man, woman and child has felt the pangs of jealousy. Nay, More! Every animal in creation knows what jealousy means. It is primary, elemental, common to all. William Owen supported by a strong company will present Othello at opera house on Tuesday night.

DID RUSHING BUSINESS

Nelson Restaurant Had a Busy 20 Minutes Thursday.

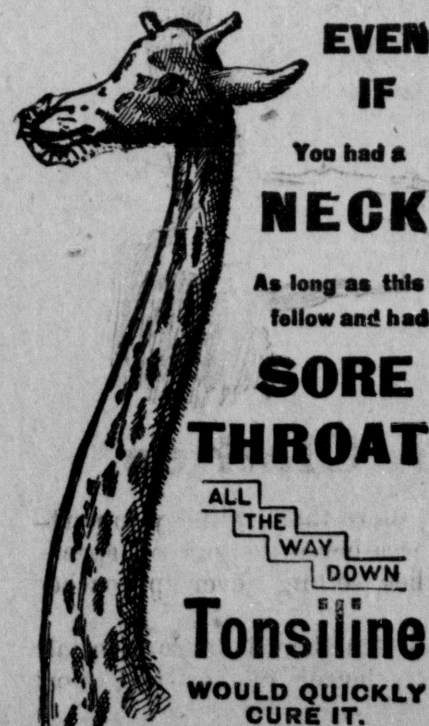
K. F. Seibolt, proprietor of the Nelson eating house, did a rushing business Thursday morning.

Mr. Seibolt being notified at 10:15 a. m. through the kindness of Station Agent T. L. Seaton, to be prepared of 50 people as they would stop for lunch, being on their way from Peoria to Rockford. The 50 people consisted of the show troop which is playing "The Prince of Pilsen."

With the aid of six waiters and waitresses every one was served in first class order, a neat sum being cleared in 22 minutes.

Galt Citizen Dies.

J. H. Vandenberg, a prominent citizen of Galt, Ill., died Friday afternoon in the Chicago hospital after submitting to an operation. He was nearly seventy years of age.



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The North Dixon Woman's Chris-
tian Temperance Union met at the
home of Mrs. O. E. Rife on Friday
April 21. The first half hour was
given to an evangelistic service con-
ducted by our evangelistic superin-
tendent Mrs. Olive Webster. This
gave us a great spiritual uplift. This
was followed by a short Easter pro-
gram and this in turn by a symposium
on a few of our many lines of work.

Kennedy an Eagle.

John Kennedy, the popular dry-
man, is now an eagle, having joined
that order last night. There is one
thing sure John can "fly" as long and
as far as any other eagle.

—H. C. Higgins is in Chicago today.

—Mrs. Eliza B. Camp spent today
in Chicago.

—Miss Kittle Finley was in Chi-
cago today.

—E. J. Mannion of Van Petten was
a Dixon visitor today.

—Geo. C. Loveland has removed his
office to room 5, Loveland building.

—John F. Group of Franklin Grove
made this office a pleasant call today.

—Webster Poole and John D. Wolfe
are here from Warren, Ohio, on an
important business transaction.

—Fred Winters was here from Free-
port today. Fred has a fine position
with the Illinois Central as operator
at the round house.

—Miss Stella Henderson returned
home to Compton today after a week's
visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fair-
child.

FIFTY YEARS AGO.

Interesting items gleaned from the
early files of THE DIXON TELE-
GRAPH.

EARLY DAYS IN DIXON.

In the summer of 1851 we notice by
the files of THE TELEGRAPH of that
date that J. B. Brooks and Oscar F.
Ayres were receiving "new goods."

The store occupied by J. B. Brooks
was located in the building on Water
street which was used during late
years by the late Daniel McKinney as
a livery stable, and Mr. Ayres store
was on the corner of Galena avenue
and First street. Our fellow citizen,
Andrew J. Brubaker, was then a
young, good looking clerk in Mr.
Brooks' store. He is still good looking,
but time, the thief, has taken from
his limbs the elasticity of those years
and silvered his beautiful raven locks.
He is still cheerful and happy.

Mr. Reisinger advertises in a Chicago
paper under the heading "Personal,"
for claims in favor of certain establish-
ments, among others the Dixon But-
ton factory. That factory went down
about the time that claim shells in
Rock river gave out.

John V. Eustace issues a notice to
teachers that he is ready to look them
over for the school work for the sum-
mer of 1852.

River street was at that time the
business street of Dixon. There was
a dry goods store on the corner of
River and Hennepin streets; and the
building known as the Telegraph
Block, was occupied by two leading
business houses.

May 1852 a wagon bridge was about
to be erected over Rock river at the
river end of Ottawa street. John
Dement, Cyrus Aldrich, J. B. Brooks,
J. V. Eustace, Guy Carlton, Bayley,
E. B. Baker, I. S. Boardman and John
Shillabar were the directors of the
bridge company.

The latter, Mr. Shillabar, was the
owner of a large farm on the Seven
Mile Branch, just above Hazelwood,
where he had an immense herd of
sheep and a regular Scotch shepherd,
brought from the Highlands of Scot-
land to look after his lambs.

Mr. Shillabar, on account of a cer-
tain native dignity—he was from Bos-
ton—unknown to the wild and
woolly west, was known by his neigh-
bors as "Lord Shillabar." But we
found him a very pleasant cultivated
gentleman. The writer's first recol-
lection of "Me Lord" was when he
called at THE TELEGRAPH office on
his return from a trip to Washington,
where he had paid a visit to President
Taylor; and, though he, himself, was a
confirmed Whig in politics, and had
really voted for the great hero of
the Mexican war, for the chief office
in the gift of the American people,
still he was sorely humiliated to find
the President utterly lacking in that
culture, which is considered by people
of Boston so essential in the outfit
of all great men.

"Why just think of it," said Mr.
Shillabar, all that the president could
say in my effort to draw him into con-
versation was simply to answer "yes
or no, as the reply might call for."

Mr. Shillabar was a brother of the
once famous editor of the Boston
Post, and well known creator of "Mrs.
Partington," whose sayings were put
in a book. She was in those days the
great American "Mrs. Molaprop."

It appears by the Dixon TELEGRAPH
of June 1852 that Frink & Walker's
stages were at times not entirely safe
for travelers and if a driver happened
to have partaken of too much "bug
juice," as was in the stage driver not
uncommon, that was truly a mode of
travel quite as precarious as now by
railroad. "The Dixon and Albany
stage tipped over while crossing a
corduroy bridge or sort of a turn-pike
made of small trees—over the mud
down in the Mercedocia swamp in
Whiteside county, and the nine pas-
sengers had a narrow escape from
watery—or muddy graves."

In those days as Madame de Steal
would say, "traveling was a most un-
comfortable pleasure."

David Law—now one of our doc-
tors—treated the editor to straw-
berries from his farm down the river.
An editorial is copied from the Ci-
cago Democrat congratulating Dixon
on the proposed and probable selec-
tion of Colonel Dement as the next
governor of Illinois. A daily paper
for Dixon was also suggested for a
near future improvement. That
blessing came in the form of the
EVENING TELEGRAPH twenty-eight
years later.

To Spend Easter at Oakdene.

The families of James H. Thomp-
son, W. E. Thompson, William Mc-
Mahon and R. H. Spratler of Beloit
will spend Easter at the Thompson
summer cottage "Oakdene."

Sunny Side League.

The Sunny Side League will meet
Monday evening in the Presbyterian
church.

—E. W. Payne of Morrison was in
Dixon today.

THE JURY DISAGREED

Divided as to [the] Issues in the Court
Case of Bennett vs. Mc-
Clannahan.

OUT ALL NIGHT ON THE CASE

Judge Heard to Spend Sunday at
Home in Freeport.

The Lee county circuit court was
convened this morning and heard the
report of the jury in the Bennett vs.
McClannahan case. The jury after
being out all night agreed to disagree.
They stood six to six. The jury was
discharged, and court adjourned until
Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

BENNETT VS. MCCLANNAHAN CASE.

The controversy in the above case is
over the commission on the sale of a
farm. Bennett claims that if he
forced the sale of McClannahan's
farm to his brother Hugh Bennett, he
should receive all over \$95 per acre as his
commission for making the sale. The
sale was made at \$100 per acre. Now
both McClannahan and Hugh
Bennett claim the sale was made
about a year before the verbal con-
tract between Samuel Bennett and
Samuel McClannahan was made.

Attorneys Brooks and Watts re-
presented Mr. Bennett and Attorney
Mark C. Keller represented the de-
fendant.

BURNETT TO REFORMATORY.

Joseph Burnett convicted of grand
larceny Friday evening was sentenced
by Judge Heard to an intermediate
sentence in the state reformatory at
Pontiac.

ON TRIAL MONDAY.

The cases of Nicholson vs. Lally and
Dubois vs. Bardwell will come up for
trial Monday.

COURT GOES HOME

Judge O. E. Heard went to his home
at Freeport this morning to spend
Sunday. He will return Monday
morning.

IS EIGHT YEARS OLD

Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., Celebrated
Its Anniversary with Special
Exercises Friday.

GRAND WORTHY MATRON PRESENT

Banquet Served; Prof. Williamson
Made Address in the Evening.

Dorothy Chapter, No. 271, Order of
the Eastern Star of Dixon, was eight
years old yesterday. The anniversary
was celebrated in the afternoon and
in the evening, at the Masonic
Temple. The attendance was un-
usually large. The Grand Worthy
Matron, Mrs. Kate Aull Heath, of
Danville, Ill., was present and in the
evening delivered an address after
the regular work. In the afternoon
at 4:30 o'clock the members held a re-
ception for Mrs. Heath. At 6 o'clock
an elegant banquet was served. The
order was organized with twenty
charter members, fifteen of which
were present at the meeting
last night. The meeting was pre-
sided over by Mrs. Marie L. Green,
worthy matron of the Dixon order.
Prof. William H. Williamson, the
first worthy patron, was present and
in the evening delivered an address.

Grand Worthy Matron Mrs. Heath,
returned to her home at Danville
this morning.

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To Care for the Estate of E. C. Par-
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A unique way of caring for and set-
tling an estate where the property is
scattered and the heirs numerous, has
been carried out in the formation of
an incorporated company to handle
the estate of the late T. L. Parsons.
Mr. Parsons was the father of E. C.
Parsons of this city, who has been
made president of the company, with
W. W. Parsons vice president and
John D. Parsons secretary. The prop-
erty is mostly situated in Burlington,
Iowa. The company is incorporated
in Iowa with a capital stock of \$100,000
although the property is valued at
nearly half a million. E. C. Parsons
and brother, W. W. Parsons, will
manage the company and hold the
preferred stock, the rest of the stock
being vested in their three sisters.

Mr. Brewster Improves.

The father of Attorneys E. H. and
Charles Brewster, who has been se-
riously ill at his home in East Grove
township, is reported much better
and improving nicely.

—D. D. Luxton of Chicago was here
today visiting Guy Miller.

Blue Trading Stamps

Banner Paper Pattern

Easter Offering

This week we make special of Ladies' Tailored Suits,
Jackets and Silk Coats. We have a large line of late ar-
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We feel that the result will be to our mutual advantage.

The new showing includes a variety of leathers, viz: Velours,
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year well sewed. They are the product of two of the best East-
ern makers of Men's Good Shoes exclusively.

The prices range from \$3.00 to \$3.50.

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DIXON ATTORNEY AN EXAMPLE

Portland, Oregon, Paper Praises Work
of Atty. C. B. Morrison.

Under the head of "Don't Despair"
the Portland (Oregon) Booster says:
Who says there is no chance for the
young men in this country? Chas. B.
Morrison, U. S. district attorney, who
is prosecuting the beef trust investi-
gation in Chicago, came from the sand
hills of Lee county, Illinois, only a
few years ago. An unknown boy then,
now conducting the most prodigious
and far-reaching investigation of the
country. Mr. Morrison is making
some of the beef nabobs tremble in
their supposed security. He will show
what Mr. Garfield's failure might have
developed had it been handled by a
man of the right calibre.

FIVE MEN WILL SPEAK

At the Y. M. C. A. Meeting in the
Armory Tomorrow Afternoon.

The Y. M. C. A. men's meeting will
be held in the Armory tomorrow after-
noon at 3 o'clock.

Five short talks will be given on the
subject, "God, Our Refuge," as fol-
lows:

"Cities of Refuge," H. C. Duffus.

"Refuge in Times of Temptation,"

Ray Jacobs.

"Refuge for the Working Man," Ed.

Collins.

"Refuge in Trouble," Dr. C. E.

Smith.

"The Christian's Refuge," A. W.

Leland.

The orchestra will assist in the
music. All men are welcome.

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Fresh Garden Seeds and
Seed Potatoes at a very
low price.

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BLUE TRADING STAMPS:

DEMENT-TOWN DOINGS

Joe Schauff will Sunday in Sterling.

Joe Schauff and Cy Kornhaus shot 43 snipe south of town yesterday.

Of course the Dement-town Eagles were there, stepladders and all.

At last Buzz has gone to work. We were alone in predicting this step.

The Fletcher Mfg. Co. is getting out the windows for the parochial school.

Foreman James Davin of the De-Kalb shoe factory is here visiting friends.

Herman Kruckenber and wife will visit over Sunday with Freeport relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Ferris and son Willie of Sterling are visiting the lady's mother Mrs. Gleason.

W. V. E. Steel and his red mitts were noticed driving on the avenue this morning.

The gas extension on Nachusa avenue is completed and everyone is putting in gas stoves.

The Dement-town Tigers played the Hill Siders a return game at the Park this morning. No fatalities.

Conductor J. F. Chaffee of the Illinois Central is a nephew of General Chaffee of the United States army.

Joe Vail became an Eagle last night but somehow during the rush forgot to keep his promise to "soak someone."

Money was plenty on the avenue this morning, one citizen asking for change for a \$100 bill while double x's were common.

Gus Moeller this afternoon resigned his place as driver for Youngman & Vail's coal office, and his place has been taken, by Jake Luce.

A member of the I. C. freight office force goes to Chicago tonight to visit relatives and it is reported that he will not return home alone.

Judge A. G. Harris presents a very imposing appearance since he had his flowing beard reduced to the Van Dyke point in honor of Easter.

Those twenty-five cans of blasting powder on the I. C. platform looked very lonesome this morning, everyone having business somewhere else. They were consigned to W. H. Rink.

Those people who have been injuring Dement-town's good name by coming here from other sections to steal fuel out of the coal sheds had better look out. They will be pinched without further notice.

Have you seen Aleck Turner do the ostrich dance? The dainty way he does it would surely you entrance; with his left foot here and his right foot there, a tapping off the time and tune—'twill make a hit, for fair.

A sample of the tramp question is afforded by the experience of Mrs. J. W. Van Dyne of Dement-town. A tramp called yesterday and asked for some food, saying that he would take it away in a package so as not to bother her. She told him to sit down at the breakfast table, and finally against his will he did so. His appetite was so weak that she was much surprised but was explained when her husband found out that the tramp had had breakfast at three other places before visiting the Van Dyne home.

The Red Horseshoe Brand of the Mound City Paints cannot be excelled. Your house needs painting, so try it and be convinced. We have a large stock of paints for all purposes, varnishes and brushes. Muresco both in solid colors and tints.

DEMENT-TOWN PHARMACY.

Tank Completed and Filled

The five men from the Wm. Grave Tank Works of Chicago who have been erecting the tank at Eleventh street and Peoria avenue, completed their work today and will return to the metropolis tonight. The tank was filled by gravity from the larger tank near the cemetery from 4 to 6 p. m. yesterday. It holds approximately 150,000 gallons. The tank is to be painted black.

Elms for Court House Park,

Fine white elms for the court house park have been donated by Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook, Sheriff C. W. Wohnke, Supervisor N. H. Cortwright, Supervisor Gehant and ex-Supervisor Hiram Betler.

Will Play at LaSalle.

Ward Miller goes to La Salle tomorrow to catch for the La Salle team in a game with the Streator nine.

Game at Rochelle.

A Dixon ball nine will play the Rochelle team at that place tomorrow.

Drainage Jury Report.

The jury in the Hart sub-district today made its report on the assessment and a hearing will be held May 15.

Easter Services in Dixon Churches

Presbyterian Church.

The Easter program for tomorrow will be of a high order. In the morning a large number will be received into the membership of the church. In the evening the sacred cantata, "The Risen King" by Schneckler will be sung by the large chorus choir. Mr. J. C. Abdill will also sing at the evening service.

The following is the program:

MORNING..

Organ Prelude—Gloria In Excelsis Mozart
Holy, Holy.....Dykes
Choir and Congregation
Invocation
The Lord's Prayer.....Chanted
Choir and Congregation
Scripture Reading
I Know That My Redeemer Liveth.....Handel
Mrs E A Sickels
Prayer
Response.....The Gloria
Choir and Congregation
Announcements
Offering
Daybreak.....Spinney
Mr A H Stoddard
Spring Song.....Mendelssohn
Miss Josephine Gamble
Sermon—Now Is Christ Risen From the Dead
Rev S S Cryor, D D
Prayer
Hallelujah Christ Is Risen.....Imper
Choir
Jesus Christ Is Risen Today.....Davidica
Choir and Congregation
Benediction
Organ—Postlude.....Barnby

EVENING.

The Risen King by P. A. Schneckler, Easter Cantata.
Triumphal March.....Clark
Mr A H Stoddard
Invocation.....The Pastor
INTRODUCTION
Chorus—This Is the Day Which the Lord Hath Made
Sermon—Because I Live Ye Shall Live Also
Rev S D Cryor, D D
THE STORY
Chorus of Men—As It Began to Dawn.
Trio, Women's Voices—With Loving Hearts and Laden Hands.
Recit., Men—But When They Came Into the Sepulchre.
Chorus—The Lord Is Risen.
Recit., Men—Then Went They Quickly and Flew.
Chorus—Weeping for Him.
Alto Solo—They Have Taken Away My Lord.
Recit., Men and Women—And When She Had Thus Said.
Chorus—O Grave, Where Is Thy Victory.
Offering
Offertoire.....Read
Mr A H Stoddard
Hosanna.....Grarrier
Mr J C Abdill
FINALE
Chorus—Unto Him Who Loveth Us.
Benediction
Organ Postlude.....Gounod

Christian Church.

The Easter services at the Christian church will be as follows:

MORNING SERVICE 11:00 A. M.

Organ Prelude—Andantino.....Benedict
Hymn—Christ the Lord Is Risen Today.....Wesley
Invocation
The Lord's Prayer.....Georgian Chant
Responsive Reading—The Risen Lord
Pastor and Congregation
Gloria Patri.....Danks
Hymn—Rise Glorious Leader Rise.....Bridges
Prayer
Anthem—Christ Our Passover.....McPhail
Choir
Alto Solo, Mrs. Claud Murphy
Bass Solo, Mr. Elmer Rice
Announcements
Solo The Resurrection.....Shelley
Mrs. Claud Murphy, Contralto
Violin Oblato, by Mrs. Chas. Lowery
Sermon, Subject—Resurrection of Christ
Rev. J. F. Stone
Invitation Hymn—Jesus I My Cross Have Taken.....Lyte
Communion Service
Easter Offering, for Benevolence of the Christian Church
Offertory Solo for organ—Reverie—Macdonald
Closing Hymn, King Jesus Reign
Benediction
Organ Postlude.....Stark

EVENING SERVICE 7:30 P. M.

Organ Prelude.....Hall
Hymn—Golden Harps are Sounding.....Havergale
Prayer
Duett—Lift your glad voices.....Schucker
Mrs. Lew Edwards, Mr. Frank Leak
Offering
Offertory—Idyll.....Barnard
Anthem—Hallelujah Christ has Risen.....Simpson
Sermon—Subject—Mistakes of a Certain Young Man.....Rev. J. F. Stone
Invitation Hymn—I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say.....Bonar
Baptismal Service
Postlude, Easter Themes.

Lutheran Services.

Services with music and all appropriate to Easter will be held morning and evening in the St. Paul's Lutheran church. The morning service will begin at 10:30. The principal part of the service will be the celebration of the Lord's supper. New members will be received and children baptised. Every new member as well as all others should be sure to meet at the Table of the Lord and receive the Holy Communion. In the evening at 7:30 a special program will be rendered by the Sunday school and congregation. This promises to be a delightful day of good things in the St. Paul's Lutheran church. Everybody welcome.

Congregational Church.

Easter services will be held at the Congregational church. The pastor, Rev J. G. Brooks, will preach both morning and evening. The morning subject will be "Christ's Resurrection

Our Victory," evening theme: "The Irresistible Argument of a Resurrected Life." There will be special music both morning and evening and reception of members and the administration of baptism at the morning session. Christian Endeavor at 6:30, leader, Miss Cora Huggins, a good program has been arranged, topic: The Resurrection. The Sabbath school will please remember that every scholar is to try and bring an egg for the hospital as an Easter offering. Rev. Brooks will preach at Nelson at 3 p. m., Sabbath school there at 2:15

Rev. Craven Will Preach.

Easter day services will be held at the Methodist church tomorrow. Special music will be rendered by the chorus choir. Rev. Wm. Craven will preach both morning and evening; his morning subject being, "Easter Assurance of Immortality" and his evening subject, "Do I Hope or Fear for the Future and Why?"

St. Luke's Episcopal.

The services at St. Luke's church will consist of holy communion at 7 a. m., Sunday school Easter festival at 10 and choral celebration of the Holy Eucharist and sermon at 11 a. m. The order of the services will be:

Organ Prelude—Choral March.....Dudley Buck
Mrs. W. H. Smith
Processional Hymn—Jesus Christ Is Risen Today.....Lyra Davidica
Introit, Christ Our Passover.....Gregorian
Kyrle Kelson, In F.....Collingwood
Gloria Tibi (Gospel for the Day) Laus Christi
Collingwood
Hymn—At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing.....Elvey
Sermon by the Rector.....Whitfield
Ascription Gloria—Glory be to God the Father.....Whitfield
Offertory Anthem—Angels, Roll the Rock Away.....Koper
Offertory Words—Thou Art Worthwhile, O Lord
Surreum Corda, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei.....Collingwood
Pater Noster—Our Father Who Art in Heaven.....Merbecke
Gloria in Excelsis.....Zeuner
Dresden Amen.....Barry
Nunc Dimittis.....Hammerell
Recessional Hymn—Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain.....Sullivan
Organ Postlude—Marche Pontificale.....Tombelle-Macfarlane
Mrs. W. H. Smith
3:45 p. m.
Evensong and Sermon. Dixon Commandery, No. 21, Knights Templar, Guests.
Organ Prelude by Mrs. W. H. Smith Choral March.....Dudley Buck
Processional Hymn, The Strife Is O'er.....Palestrina
Proper Psalms, 118 114 113, Gloria Patri.....Gregorian
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in E flat.....Simpson
Solos by Miss Kenneth and Mr. Hammarstrom

Anthem, Hallelujah Now Is Christ Risen
Knights Templar Easter Hymn, The Rising God.....tune Hebron
Sermon by the Rector
Ascription Gloria, Glory be to God, the Father.....Whitfield
Offertory Solo I know that my Redeemer Liveth, from Handel's Messiah.....Mme Kent
Offertory Words, Thou art worthy O Lord.....Gilbert
Orison Hymn, Our day of praise is done (sung kneeling).....Parker
Dresden Amen
Recessional Hymn, Jesus Lives.....Gauntlett
Organ Postlude by Mrs. Smith, Marche Pontificale.....Tombelle-Macfarlane

People's Church.

The service at the People's church tomorrow will commence at 4:30 p. m. sharp. Newman's Orchestra will play several numbers. Mr. J. C. Abdill will also sing at the service. The following fine program will be given:

PROGRAM.

Beautiful Home in Paradise.....King
The Bride of God.....Sister St. Dominick
The Palms.....Faure
Newman's Orchestra.
Holy Holy.....Dykes
Choir and Congregation.
Invocation.
The Shadows of the Evening Hour.....Hilles
Choir and Congregation.
Hosanna.....Granier
Mr. T. A. Craig.
Scripture.
The Magdalen.....Warren
The Quartette.
Prayer.
Response—The Choir.....Schneckler
He Ledeth Me.....Ashford
Miss Battle Slacks.
Announcements.
Offering.
I know That My Redeemer Liveth.....Handel
Mr. A. H. Stoddard.
Lift Your Glad Voices.....Schneckler
Mrs. L. E. Edwards—Mr. Frank Leake
Sermon—The Joyful Sunday.....Rev. Joseph Fort Newton
Be Ye Comforted.....Fisher
Mr. J. C. Abdill.
Awake Up My Glory.....Barnby
The Choir.
Rejoice and Be Glad.....Bonar
Choir and Congregation.
Benediction.
Organ Postlude.....Gounod

Programs at Baptist Church.

MORNING SERVICE.

Opening Voluntary, 1st and 2nd violins, Mr. H. M. Coe and Harry Coe; cornet, Mr. Fred Coe; organ, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.
Scripture Lesson.
Solo—Rise O Buried Lord.....Perry
Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.
Prayer.
Kaster Response.....Lorens
Chorus.
Responsive Reading
Hymn—Christ the Lord Is Risen Today.....Clark
Notices and Collection.
Anthem—Lift Your Voices.....Fears
Chorus.
Sermon.
Duett—Even Time.....Abt
Misses Plummer and McGuinness.
Benediction.
Organ Postlude.
EVENING SERVICE.
Opening Voluntary, 1st and 2nd violins, Mr. H. M. Coe and Harry Coe; cornet, Mr. Fred Coe; organ, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.
Solo—Christ Is Risen.....Hammerell
Mrs. Frank A. Ballou.
Duett—Our Lord Has Risen.....Lord
Meadames Ballou and Goodsell
Prayer.
Hymn—The Strife Is O'er.....Palestrina
Notices and Collection.
Anthem—He Lives Again.....Parks
Chorus.
Sermon.
Solo—The Resurrection.....Holden
Miss Rachel Plummer.
Baptismal Hymn.
The Ordinance of Baptism.
The Doxology.
Benediction.
Organ Postlude.

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WHERE'S THAT MAN ROJESTVENSKY?

Russia Has Orders Chasing Him to Respect the Neutrality of French Waters.

LATEST OF HIS WHEREABOUTS

Report That Part of His Fleet Is Coaling at Hainan Island.

Wireless Doesn't Know Where to Look for Him—Neutrality Question Becomes Very Acute.

London, April 22.—The Tokio correspondent of The Daily Telegraph gives a report emanating from Peking that a portion of the Russian second Pacific squadron is coaling at Hainan, an island southeast of Tonquin bay.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—No reply is expected from Vice Admiral Rojestvensky for several days relative to the instructions sent to him yesterday to respect the neutrality of French waters. Admiral Wrenius stated that Rojestvensky's telegram announcing his



arrival at Kamranh bay took four days in transmission. Admiral Wrenius added that he had no idea of the present whereabouts of Rojestvensky, but that he believed he had left Kamranh bay.

It's a Long Time Between Drinks. Saigon, French Cochinchina, April 22.—Orders have been given for the disarmament of the Russian cruiser Diana, which took refuge under one of the coast forts in August, 1904. She has undergone important repairs to essential portions of her machinery, which now will be handed over to the French authorities here. This disarmament was promised the Japanese government by France Sept. 6, 1904.

Trouble for Russia Ashore. Warsaw, April 22.—A drunken soldier fired his revolver in the crowded streets of this city, killing one and wounding six persons, one of them probably fatally. A patrol had attempted to arrest the man, but failed, and as he fled he fired in all directions. Among the wounded are two soldiers, a policeman and two Jews, a father and son. A workman finally captured the miscreant.

Bialystok, Russian Poland, April 22.—An unknown man fired at the burgomaster in the street. The man missed his aim, but the bullet killed a passing Cossack. At another place in this city Police Inspector Sawitzki was attacked by two men, who fired five shots at him, all taking effect. The assailants escaped.

May Day To Be Lively. St. Petersburg, April 22.—May Day demonstrations on a grand scale throughout the empire is the programme of the socialist wing of the reform party, as announced at the Pan-Russian congress of journalists which has closed after a protracted and stormy session. Practically all the liberal papers of Russia were represented in the congress.

FRANCE SUDDENLY GETS BUSY

Awakes to the Fact That Her Neutrality Is Being Discredited.

Paris, April 22.—The announcement that Delcasse intends to resign, which he has agreed to forego for a further consideration, is but one of many incidents in a day of much anxiety throughout government quarters. The Franco-Japanese incident has suddenly assumed serious proportions, and unusual energy has been shown in preventing its embroiling France in complications in the Far East. A clear understanding has been had by the cabinet regarding the measures necessary for the maintenance of neutrality of Indo-Chinese waters, and orders have been sent to Governor General Beau to specifically report the exact location of the Russian Pacific squadron, and whether it has or has not withdrawn from French waters. Communications with St. Petersburg led to orders being transmitted by the Russian government to Vice Admiral Rojestvensky to vigorously respect the neutrality of French waters. Baron Suematsu, minister of the

interior of Japan, in the course of an interview with the London correspondent of The Times, stated that the presence of a Russian fleet in French Indo-Chinese waters constituted a flagrant breach of neutrality. Japan could understand two or three belligerent vessels seeking temporary refuge in neutral waters in case of danger, but no international conference, and no jurisdiction could tolerate an excuse for fifty warships, especially when so close to the theater of war. Japan demanded of France fair play and justice, nothing more. The presence in Kamranh bay of an enemy's enormous fleet, the baron concluded, was a gross violation of the laws of neutrality.

A Tokio dispatch, referring to the allegation in French circles that it is not certain that Rojestvensky was in a French port, says it is certain, but that it is France's business to attend to the matter, and she should know what is going on in one of her own ports.

Ghastly Suggestion to Royalty.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—The picture which appeared in the Neva, the most widely circulated illustrated weekly newspaper in Russia, on April 15, of the imperial family, including the emperor, empress, czarévitch, grand dukes and dowager empress, lying dead in their coffins, has been reproduced on cards bearing on the reverse side the Russian national anthem. These cards are being scattered by thousands throughout St. Petersburg and in other parts of Russia. The cards were printed abroad.

Tolstol Utters a Jeremiad.

Moscow, April 22.—The Russky Listok publishes a two-column interview with Count Leo Tolstol, in which the philosopher indulges in a jeremiad against the educated classes, city life and the present tendencies of education, religion and politics.

Report About Russian Plans.

Tokio, April 22.—It is reported from various sources that the Russians are concentrating their forces in the vicinity of Possiet bay, and are planning to cross the Tumen river and then move southward into northeastern Korea.

FOURTEEN DEAD BY FIRE

Flames Destroy a Convent in Canada and Their Victims Are All Women and Girls.

Montreal, April 22.—The little village of St. Genevieve is in mourning over the loss of thirteen lives in a fire which destroyed the convent of St. Anna there. One nun, nine children ranging in age from 10 to 18 years, and four old women perished in the flames. Two nuns were so severely burned that it is feared they will die.

In their grief over the catastrophe the villagers find some comfort in relating the heroism displayed by Sister Marie Adjeure, who gave up her life, and Sister Marie Therese and Marie Robertine, who were, perhaps, fatally burned, in their efforts to save the lives of the children and helpless old women in their charge.

Following are the dead: Sister Rageterra, music teacher; Miss Garand, Miss Tessier, Marceline Villeneuve, Irene Bertrand, Leona Daoust, Eglantine Proulx, Miss Dugas, Miss Emma Terrault, one unidentified girl, Miss Margaret Pottvin, Mrs. Robet, Mme. Narcisse Lalonde, Mme. Cardinal. These last four were all aged women from 58 to 98 years old.

Boy Sombambulist Drowns.

Hamilton, O., April 22.—Roy Greenfield, 18 years old, a sombambulist, met with a mysterious death. He was heard to go out of the house at night, and his father rushed to the telephone and organized a searching party. Next day the boy's body was found in a brush pile along Seven Mile creek, but there were no evidences of violence.

Bishop of East Carolina Dead.

Wilmington, N. C., April 22.—Right Rev. Alfred Augustin Watson, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church for the East Carolina diocese, is dead after an illness of nearly two years following a stroke of paralysis. Watson was born in New York Aug. 21, 1818.

Commander-in-Chief at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., April 22.—Gen. William W. Blackmar, of Boston, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, accompanied by Mrs. Blackmar and a party of friends, has arrived here to attend the encampment of the Georgia division.

Wins on a Union Question.

Lawrence, Kan., April 22.—Kansas defeated Iowa in the first annual debate between the two universities. Kansas had the affirmative of the question: "Resolved, That the Trade Unions are Justified in Demanding the Closed Shop."

Season of the Cyclone at Hand.

Des Moines, Ia., April 22.—A miniature cyclone tore up things in southern Iowa. At Melrose freight cars were carried bodily from the track, sidewalks torn up, and buildings unroofed.

Bedouins Attack a Convoy.

Cairo, Egypt, April 22.—Bedouin marauders attacked a convoy escorting the holy carpet from Yambo to Medina. A fight ensued in which several of the Bedouins were killed.

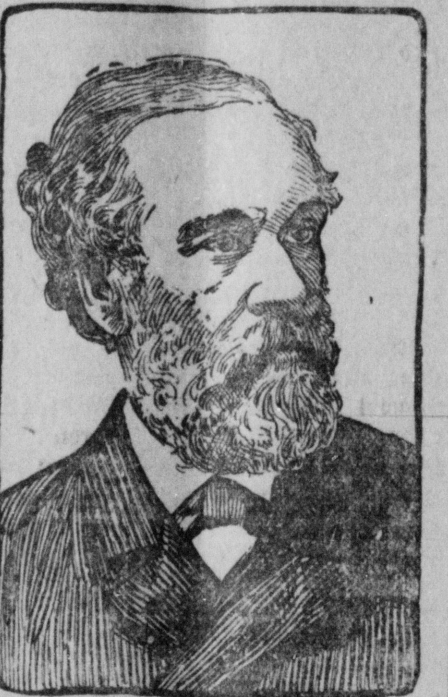
SCORES ON THE BALL FIELDS

Chicago, April 22.—Following are the base ball scores: League: At Chicago—Cincinnati 5, Chicago 2; at other points—Weather. American: At Boston—Philadelphia 5, Boston 4; at other points—Weather. Association: At Louisville—St. Paul 1, Louisville 1—seven innings, darkness; at other points—Weather.

SENATOR PLATT IS DEAD

Author of the Cuba "Platt Resolutions" Passes to the "Undiscovered Country."

Washington, Conn., April 22.—United States Senator Orville Hitchcock Platt, of Connecticut, died at his summer home in this, his native town, at



ORVILLE H. PLATT.

8:53 last night from pneumonia. The end came almost unexpectedly, the immediate cause being the breaking of the abscess which had formed in the right lung and which produced strangulation.

In the room at the time were Mrs. Platt and the senator's only son, Judge James P. Platt, of the United States circuit court, who had been summoned home during the afternoon and reached the house three hours earlier. Senator Platt was taken ill March 31, and the end was feared April 18, but he rallied. The funeral will probably be held next Tuesday. He had been in the senate since 1879. He was born July 9, 1827.

RUSHED TO SAN DOMINGO

Cruiser Tacoma Sent There Because Trouble Is Anticipated with Italy, Who Wants Her Money.

Pensacola, Fla., April 22.—Rush orders for the cruiser Tacoma to proceed to San Domingo were received late in the afternoon. That vessel began to coal immediately, moving down to the navy yard, where fuel and stores were taken on board and it is expected that she will get away from port in short order.

It is stated here that a number of warships has been ordered to San Domingo by the Italian government, and as trouble is anticipated the Tacoma was ordered there to protect United States interests.

Enforcing the Safety Appliance Law.

Milwaukee, April 22.—United States Attorney H. K. Butterfield has brought suit against the Wisconsin Central Railway company for violation of the "safety appliance act" passed by congress in 1893. The suit is brought at the suggestion of the interstate commerce commission, and upon information furnished by the commission.

Suppose He Had Won?

New York, April 22.—One hundred dollars which he had bet on a horse in a race at Sheephead Bay in 1902, was returned to Harry Mendoza, of this city, when the bookmaker paid the money to satisfy the judgment of the New York state supreme court against him, under an old gambling law.

Cyclone Is Fatal at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, April 22.—A wind storm of cyclonic velocity swept over Philadelphia and vicinity, doing considerable damage in many parts of the city and suburbs. One woman, Mrs. Margaret Long, was fatally injured and probably twenty other persons were hurt.

Another Blockade at the Soo.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., April 22.—Another ice blockade about half way between the Soo and Whitefish Point has interrupted navigation, and about a hundred boats are helpless until aid reaches them from the Soo.

Effect of the Rooseveltian Cyclone.

Lawton, O., April 22.—Cowboys coming in from the Kiowa-Comanche pasture reservation in which President Roosevelt hunted last week state that dead wolves are being found over the entire tract.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The eruption of Mount Vesuvius is increasing and frequent explosions are heard.

Alois Mueller, a Hungarian formerly living in Dayton, O., has been arrested at Budapest because he is wanted in Dayton for embezzlement.

Milward Adams, manager of the Chicago Auditorium, has been awarded the Order of Leopold by the King of Belgium.

The Hamburg-American liner Pennsylvania brought to New York from Hamburg 3,086 passengers, a record load.

The French senate has passed the budget and adjourned until May 23.

William H. Rogers, business manager of the Boston base ball club of the National League, is dead at New York. He was 45 years of age.

Four trans-Atlantic steamers arriving at New York brought 9,675 steerage passengers.

The handsome country home, near Paris, Ky., of Brutus J. Clay, minister to Switzerland, has burned.

James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, has left Kansas for California.

THE CITY OF CROCODILES.

An Ancient Site Said to Have Been Built by Pharaoh.

The crocodile, one of the most sacred animals of the east, has given its name to several ancient sites. Of the various "cities of crocodiles," the names of which have been handed down to us by Herodotus, Pliny and Strabo, perhaps the most striking was the "Crocodilopolis" of the ancient Egyptian province of Fayum, which, according to tradition, was built by that pharaoh who "made the lives of the children of Israel bitter with hard service."

This province lies within an almost complete circle of hills—a little oasis in the midst of the desert, where roses and grapes mingle with figs and olives and luxuriant palm trees grow almost into forests.

Its capital is Medinet, and a little to the north of the city are a number of irregularly shaped mounds. Beneath these are the ruins of the pharaohs built "Crocodilopolis," the "City of Crocodiles," later called Arsinoe, and the shrine of the sacred crocodile of the neighboring Lake Moeris, which was then 450 miles in circumference.

This lake held the sacred crocodiles, and as each died in turn it was buried in one of the 1,500 underground sepulchers of the world famed "Labyrinth" at hand, side by side with the embalmed bodies of successive pharaohs.—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE NAME AMERICA.

When It Was First Proposed For the Newly Found Continent.

The name of America for the newly discovered continent was first proposed in the little volume put forth at St. Die, in the Vosges, in the year 1507 by Waldseemuller, better known by the Hellenized form of his name, Hylacomylus. Three or four editions of this treatise were published at St. Die before 1507, and a few years afterward an edition without date was printed at Lyons by Jean de la Place. All these editions are of extreme rarity, and probably that printed at Lyons is the rarest of all, though the library of the British museum possesses two copies of it. It has never been suggested that any maps were engraved to accompany either of the editions, but it has always been supposed that the earliest map with the word "America" marked on the new found world was the "Typus Orbis," engraved on wood for the "Enarrationes Joannis Camertis in C. Julii Solini Polyhistora," printed at Vienna in 1520 for Joannes Singrenius. In this map the new world is represented as a long island, on which is the inscription: "Anno d. 1497 haec terra cum adjacentibus insulis inventa est per Columbum Iannensem ex mandato regis Castellae. America provincia."

BRET HARTE AS A HUNTER.

The Reassuring Message He Received After an Accident.

During the time he acted as United States consul in Glasgow Bret Harte occasionally indulged in a day's sport with the gun, and it was during one of his shooting excursions that the famous American author met with an accident which might have disfigured him for the remainder of his life, his face being badly cut through the recoil of an overloaded gun. Fortunately the doctor's skill prevented him from being permanently marked.

Writing about the occurrence to his friend, T. Edgar Pemberton (who quotes the letter in his "Tribute to Bret Harte"), the novelist concludes his letter by telling of an amusing effort which was made to console him on account of the accident.

"When the surgeon was stitching me together," he wrote, "the son of the house, a boy of twelve, came timidly to the door of my room:

"Tell Mr. Bret Harte it's all right," he said. 'He killed the hare.'"

Preservative Plant. Peat possesses wonderful antiseptic and preservative qualities owing to the presence of tannin, iron and other substances in it. Here is an instance: At the time of the covenants, in 1685, three men were shot at a place called Crossgelloch on the moors above Old Crossgelloch, in Scotland. In 1825, when a monument was being erected to their memory, the workmen came upon the corpses rolled in their plaids. The bodies were in exactly the same state as when they were buried. The moss had preserved them as if they had been embalmed.

Artificial Flowers.

It was in Italy that a demand for artificial flowers first arose. This was due primarily to a caprice of fashion which demanded that during festivals blossoms in and out of their seasons should be worn and also to the fact that their color and freshness were stable. Later on, in the middle ages, the artificial so far superseded the natural that both men and women decked their heads with imitation flowers of cambric, paper, glass and metal. The best artificial flowers are now made in Paris.

How to Succeed.

Believe in yourself, believe in humanity, believe in the success of your undertakings. Fear nothing and no one. Love your work. Work, hope, trust. Keep in touch with today. Teach yourself to be practical and up to date and sensible. You cannot fail.

All She Wanted.

"Do you think, young man, that you could give my daughter all she asks for?" questioned papa grimly.

"I—aw—think so, sir," murmured the lover bashfully. "She says she wants only me."

A man must be both stupid and uncharitable who believes there is no virtue or truth but on his own side.—Addison.

THREAT OF PARALYSIS

Chicago Faced by a Tie-Up That Would Come Near Spelling Ruin.

ALL UNION TEAMSTERS TO QUIT

Alternative Offered the Employers Is That They Boycott Montgomery Ward & Co.—Merchants Are Defiant.

Chicago, April 22.—Representatives from forty-six local teamsters' unions, in conference with International President C. P. Shea, have practically agreed upon the extension of the Montgomery Ward strike so that it will include every firm that uses non-union men to deliver goods to the "struck" Michigan avenue supply house. Every delegate in a big meeting held at 56 Fifth avenue was in favor of a general strike. It was also decided to ask the several strike committee of the Chicago Federation of Labor to add to the Department Store Drivers' union demand an ultimatum that would bring peace or fight at once.

President Shea the Arbitrator.

President Shea will exhaust every means at his command to avert what he has always deprecated—a general strike. Stagnation of the city's industries would follow a big teamsters' strike. By the complex system of government of the unions, C. P. Shea is the arbitrator of the strike spread. The Teamsters' Joint Council is the senate of the teamsters. It has given each of the forty-six locals the right to strike against any firm that attempts to make deliveries with non-union men to the Ward building. The business agent needs only to see a non-union man making a trip, to inform President Shea and get the final word—"strike."

Merchants Are Duly Notified.

In accordance with the foregoing the teamsters' joint council has informed all business houses which have been delivering goods to Montgomery Ward & Co. that they must stop or a general strike of all the union teamsters in Chicago will be called. In every instance they were informed that the deliveries of goods will be continued. They were also told by the employers that as members of the Employers' association it was impossible for them to refuse to transact business with another member.

Strike Sort of Hangs Fire.

The teamsters' joint council was in session until nearly midnight. Instead of ordering a strike it was decided that the committees call upon the employers again today, and renew the demand. It is not expected by anybody that the answer of the employers will be any different. The sentiment among the 35,000 teamsters who form the unions is said to be overwhelmingly in favor of a strike, unless the employers offer some sort of a compromise. The employers declare that the very nature of the demand made by the teamsters makes any sort of a compromise impossible.

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE

Will Go Into the Whole Matter—Employers Defy Strikers.

The grand jury is prepared to take up the labor situation. The whole subject of the controversy will be gone over. Such an investigation has never before been conducted in this county by a grand jury, former inquisitors having devoted their time to specific cases of assaults, riots, or disturbances attending various strikes. The present grand jury, however, plans to go far beyond those bounds, and in order to obtain the information desired will in all probability call on witnesses from both sides. Evidence will not be confined exclusively to that of the employers' side, but the labor unions are to be given equal opportunity to present their side of the questions.

As a result of Judge Brentano's injunction, not a picket could be seen about the north side stables of Montgomery Ward & Co., 395-397 Indiana street. The wagons were not followed by crowds as they left the barns. By every one the contest is recognized as the final struggle upon which the fate of unionism in Chicago will depend. If they lose, the fabric of trade unionism in the city will crumble into hopeless wreck—and perhaps.

The feeling of the employers is evidenced by the following placard, pasted on every wagon owned by the new teaming corporation: "This wagon belongs to the independent company. We deliver goods to Montgomery Ward & Co. and employ non-union drivers." Below this placard is pasted a copy of the injunction issued by Judge Brentano.

Coal Men in a Combine.

Cleveland, April 22.—County Prosecutor Keeler has issued subpoenas for a number of prominent coal dealers to appear before the grand jury Monday to testify in connection with an investigation of the charge that a combination known as the Cleveland Retail Coal Dealers' association regulates prices in this city.

Gave the Democracy the Rooster.

Cleveland, April 22.—Major William W. Armstrong, prominent in the Democratic party throughout the state, is dead after one day's illness of pneumonia, aged 72 years. Major Armstrong is said to have been the man who suggested the rooster as the emblem for the Democratic party.



STORK TIME

to most women is a term of anxiety, serious thought and sweet anticipation. With the cessation of pain necessary to childbirth, there comes calm nerves, sleep and recuperation.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

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Everything you eat will taste good and do good if you take Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets. Rowland Bros.

A CHATTANOOGA DRUGGIST'S STATEMENT

Rob. J. Miller, Proprietor of the Read House Drug Store of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is more merit in Foley's Honey and Tar than in any other cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined." Rowland Bros.

Croup is quickly relieved, and Whooping Cough will not "run its course" if you use the original Laxative Honey and Tar. This Cough Syrup is different from all others because it acts on the bowels. You can not cure Croup and Whooping Cough until you rid the system of all congestion, by working off the cold through a copious action of the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar does this, and cures all Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. No opiates. Rowland Bros.

CHRONIC BRONCHITIS CURED

"For ten years I had chronic bronchitis so bad that at times I could not speak above a whisper," writes Mr. Joseph Coffman, of Montmorenci, Ill. "I tried all remedies available, but with no success. Fortunately my employer suggested that I try Foley's Honey and Tar. Its effect was almost miraculous, and am now cured of the disease. On my recommendation many people have used Foley's Honey and Tar, always with satisfaction." Rowland Bros.

Feel tired, no appetite, cannot sleep work or eat? That's spring tiredness and will disappear at once if you take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Rowland Bros.

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Latest Idea From Kansas
Girls Ask Gov. Folk to Hang Their Brother Instead of Bill Rudolph—Brother "No Good Whatever."

Jefferson City, Mo., April 22.—Kansas, according to Governor Folk, has many people of unique ideas who have no hesitancy in expressing themselves by letter. Since he has been in office Governor Folk has received hundreds of letters from Kansans on matters which interested Missouri and the entire nation as well. He has received a letter, however, from Rosedale, Kan., that is given first place so far as making suggestions to the governor is concerned. The letter follows:

"To Governor Folk, Dear Sir:—My sister and I have decided that if you will exchange we will let you take our brother and hang him instead of Mr. 'Bill' Rudolph as our brother is no account and never will be, and may be Mr. Rudolph would be if you would give him a chance. We got his picture out of the paper and put it up in the parlor. We think he is a fine-looking young man.

"Now, if you will please exchange for our brother 'Jim' let us know through the newspapers, and we will be on hand for our man. Yours truly, 'A KANSAS GIRL'."

"Bill" Rudolph is the condemned Union, Mo., bank robber, who killed Detective Schumacher while resisting arrest. He was to be hanged April 17, but has been granted a respite by Governor Folk.

DEATH PAYS FOR HER SIN
Woman Caught by Her Husband Living in Bigamy Traps Carbonic Acid and Ends All.

Johnstown, N. Y., April 22.—George Lichenstein, manager of a glove factory here and at New York, and Miss Sarah McCurtin, were married in New York last Sunday and yesterday when confronted by Michael J. McCurtin, who claimed her as his wife, the young woman committed suicide by drinking carbonic acid. Lichenstein and his bride came here last Tuesday and took apartments at a hotel.

Michael J. McCurtin appeared in Johnstown, at once engaged counsel and commenced an action against Lichenstein for the recovery of \$10,000 for the alleged alienation of the affections of his wife, alleging that the woman married to Lichenstein was his wife, by whom he had had two children. The woman previous to her marriage to Lichenstein was employed as stenographer in the New York Office company for whom Lichenstein was manager.

Bryan Buys a Blooded Heifer.
Springfield, O., April 22.—William J. Bryan, upon arriving here drove to the farm of Charles Hatfield, where for \$500 he bought a polled Jersey heifer. Colonel Bryan was here for a lecture. He visited the large harvester shops and the Masonic, Pythian and Odd Fellows' state homes. General Keifer headed the reception committee which met him.

Joe Jefferson Not So Well.
West Palm Beach, Fla., April 22.—Dr. Potter says that Joseph Jefferson's condition is less favorable. He seemed to be growing more restless. Jefferson's condition was not regarded as alarming, but he had rejected food.

First Boat Arrives at Buffalo.
Buffalo, N. Y., April 22.—The steamer F. B. Squire, which left Chicago April 14, has arrived here, being the first lake boat to arrive this season.

THE WEATHER
Following is the official weather forecast up to 8 o'clock tonight:
Illinois and Indiana—Generally fair; slowly rising temperature; winds becoming variable.
Lower Michigan—Fair, with slowly rising temperature; diminishing northerly winds.
Wisconsin—Fair; slowly rising temperature; brisk northeast winds, becoming variable.
Iowa—Fair; rising temperature; variable winds.

THE MARKETS
Owing to the observation of Good Friday the exchanges throughout the country were closed and no grain quotations were given out.

Chicago Live Stock.
Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 12,000. Sales ranged at \$5.40 to \$5.55 for good to choice shipping, \$5.45 to \$5.57½ for fair to good butcher weights, \$5.35 to \$5.45 for fair to good heavy mixed, \$5.35 to \$5.47½ for fair to good heavy packing, \$5.40 to \$5.50 for light mixed, \$5.45 to \$5.55 for good to choice, \$4.50 to \$5.47½ for fair to good pigs.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 1,500. Quotations ranged at \$6.25 to \$6.75 for good to choice, \$4.60 to \$5.50 for good to fancy cows and heifers, \$4.25 to \$5.15 for good to choice feeders, \$5.70 to \$6.00 good to fancy calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 1,500. Quotations ranged at \$5.00 to \$5.15 for export wethers, shorn; \$5.25 to \$5.50 for yearlings, \$6.00 to \$6.50 for native lambs, \$5.75 to \$6.00 for western lambs.

East Buffalo Live Stock.
Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 2 cars; market, steady. Hogs—Receipts, 30 cars; market, strong; all grades, \$5.70 to \$5.75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 40 cars; market, steady; best lambs, \$7.50 to \$8.00; fair to good, \$7.75 to \$7.85; best clipped sheep, \$6.50 to \$6.60; best sheep, \$6.00 to \$6.50; fair to good, \$6.00 to \$6.15; yearlings, \$7.00 to \$7.50. Calves—Market, strong; best, \$7.50 to \$7.75; fair to good, \$6.00 to \$7.25.

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Many Dixon women know this. Read what one has to say about it: Mrs. E. W. Page of 603 Chamberlain street, North Dixon, says: "It gives me considerable pleasure to recommend a medicine which brings such quick and thorough relief as Doan's Kidney Pills. I went to Leake Bros' drug store for a box when suffering severely with pain in my back which clung to me persistently, far too long to be pleasant. The treatment undoubtedly, benefited me. I will be only too pleased to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills when opportunities present themselves."

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CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN RAILROAD.
WEST BOUND.
No. 8—1:52 a. m.—* Pacific Express
No. 13—10:23 a. m.—* Clinton Local
No. 5—12:44 p. m.—* Omaha Pass
No. 7—3:45 p. m.—* Cedar Rapids Pass
No. 17—6:49 p. m.—* Sterling Pass
No. 25—8:45 p. m.—* N. W. Ia. & Dak. Sp
No. 11—9:14 p. m.—* Colorado Spl
No. 1—10:23 p. m.—* Overland Lim.
No. 883—7:40 a. m.—* Peoria passenger
No. 131—11:10 a. m.—* Freight, passenger from Franklin Grove to Clinton.

EAST BOUND.
No. 8—3:25 a. m.—* Omaha and Chi. Exp
No. 6—4:52 a. m.—* Atlantic Exp
No. 16—6:16 a. m.—* Iowa & Dak. Spl
No. 9—6:37 a. m.—* Overland Lim.
No. 18—7:19 a. m.—* Sterling Pass
No. 20—10:32 a. m.—* Oed. Rap. Pass
No. 14—3:50 p. m.—* Des Moines Pass
No. 12—6:17 p. m.—* Chicago Spl
No. 28—4:15 p. m.—* Clinton Pass
*Daily.
J. J. CARTY, Agent

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.
NORTH BOUND.
No. 133—Omaha Day Express, daily except Sunday 9:37 a. m.
No. 124—Northern Express, daily, 5:40 p. m.
No. 125—Local Freight, except Sunday 12:45 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 123—daily, 10:35 a. m.
No. 131—daily except Sunday, 4:06 p. m.
Amboy Local Freight, daily except Sunday 9:37 a. m.
L. BACUS, Ticket Agent I. C. R. R.

EAST CHICAGO AND N. W. MAIL CLOSURE
No. 18 Sterling Passenger R. P. O.
7:19 a. m., ... 6:55 a. m.
No. 20 C. R. & C. B. R. P. O.
10:32 a. m., ... 10:10 a. m.
No. 14 Express pouch
Franklin Grove and Ashton, Ill.
3:53 p. m., ... 3:30 p. m.
No. 10 C. R. & C. B. R. P. O. does not stop at Dixon, a. m., ... 8:00 p. m. 4 44 WEST.
No. C. O. R. & C. B. R. P. O.
12:44 p. m., ... 12:15 p. m.
No. 17 C. O. R. & C. B. R. P. O., 5:45 pm
No. 12 R. P. O., 6:17 p. m., ... 5:45 p. m.
No. 9 C. O. R. & C. B. R. P. O.
11:59 p. m., ... 8:00 p. m.
*Grand Detour, Ill., leave daily except Sunday at 7:00 a. m.
Daily except Sunday
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Ingrowing Toe Nail Killed Her.
Moweaqua, Ill., Mrs. William Wempan, Sr., is dead here of blood poisoning, caused from an ingrown toe nail. She was 67 years old and wealthy.

Zeigler Report Next Monday.
Springfield, Ill., April 22.—The state mining board has made a report to Governor Deneen on the board's investigation of the recent explosion in the Leiter mine at Zeigler. Governor Deneen announced that he would not give out any information regarding the report until Monday, by which time he would have received the report of J. G. Massie, of Belleville, the mine expert who is still conducting an investigation at Zeigler.

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POOL ROOM WAREND
Fight at Madison That Had Mohs and Things as Accessories Is Over.

SOME HEAVY FINES IMPOSED
Election Officers in Trouble—Reform at East St. Louis—Curious Complication.

Madison, Ill., April 22.—Incident to the passing of the pool room here which was razed by a mob last year, pleas of guilty were entered in the circuit court by ten men charged with having operated the pool room, and they were fined a total amount of \$3,625. In addition, William Street and Patrick McCambridge, city officials of Madison, pleaded guilty to having resisted officers by taking the part of the pool room men when the room was mobbed, and were fined \$200 each. McCambridge was also fined \$40 for having broken up an indignation meeting held by citizens. Indictments against Senator David Nelson, of Missouri, and E. C. Berner, on charges of having operated the pool room, were quashed upon motion of Prosecuting Attorney Gillham, on the ground of insufficient evidence.

Election Officers Arrested.
The five members of the board of election have been arrested and taken to the county seat at Edwardsville, where they were held without bail to answer charges of irregularities in the city election last Tuesday. It is alleged that they refused to allow authorized representatives of the Municipal Reform party to inspect the ballot boxes previous to the election.

Reform at East St. Louis.
East St. Louis, Ill., April 22.—Whether or not saloons remain open here on Sunday is left to the saloonkeepers themselves, according to a ruling of Mayor Cook. He decided that if order is maintained in saloons on Sunday they may remain open, but the first intimation of disorder shall be good cause for closing the saloon concerned. "I am determined East St. Louis shall not become a dumping ground for the disorderly element of St. Louis on Sunday," said Mayor Cook. He notified Chief of Police Purdy to strictly enforce the law requiring the saloons to close between midnight and 5 o'clock in the morning.

Robbery of a Store the Night It Had Been Sold and Raised a Difficult Question.
Waterloo, Ill., April 22.—John Grigg was a storekeeper at Briggs, a small town near this place, until after closing hours Wednesday night, when he sold his business to John Fuss. When Fuss took possession of his new business next morning he discovered that burglars had been busy in the night, and that only a small portion of the stock he expected to find remained in the store. Now, both Fuss and Grigg are willing to forgive the burglar, if they will only come back and decide the exact time they looted the store.

If the burglary was committed before the sale took place, Grigg must stand the loss, but if the burglars worked after the sale was completed Fuss is the victim. As matters stand at present neither the old nor the new proprietor of the store is willing to stand for the loss, and nobody in Briggs, which is a new town, is competent to give a decision.

Bishop Hits at the State Senate.
Springfield, Ill., April 22.—Bishop Seymour, at the Good Friday service at Christ Episcopal church, in an address vigorously denouncing the divorce evil stated that if people seeking divorces did not know that they could be remarried to some one else as soon as they had secured a divorce, there would be less divorce proceedings instituted. The senate had by a majority of one, Lieutenant Governor Sherman casting the deciding vote, passed an amendment to the house divorce bill permitting the person securing a divorce to remarry at once, instead of waiting one year, according to the provisions of the house bill.

Gives the Town a Hospital.
Clinton, Ill., April 22.—Dr. John Warner, father of Vespasian Warner, pension commissioner, will build and endow a public hospital at Clinton. The building will cost \$35,000. Plans for the institution are in the hands of physicians of Springfield for suggestions, and as soon as they are agreed upon work will commence. The donor has been at the head of the banking house of John Warner & Co. for a number of years, although he is still practicing his profession.

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There is only one test by which to judge of the efficiency of any article and that is by its ability to do that which it is intended to do. Many hair vixens may look nice and smell nice, but the point is—do they eradicate Dandruff and stop falling hair?

No, they do not, but Herpicide does, because it goes to the root of the evil and kills the germ that attacks the papilla from whence the hair gets its life.

Letters from prominent people everywhere are daily proving that Newbro's Herpicide stands the "test of use."

It is a delightful dressing, clear, pure and free from oil or grease.

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SAFE, ORIGINAL and Only Genuine.
For Biliousness, Headache, Indigestion, Stomachic Disorders, Substitutes and Imitations. Beware of cheap imitations. Send for Particulars, Testimonials and "Batter for Ladies," in letter by return mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co. Medicine Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

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ADVANTAGES OF HOLLOW CONCRETE BLOCKS.

Artistic appearance. Cheapness of construction. Buildings warm in winter, cool in summer. Dry ventilated walls, fire and frost proof. Cheap rate of insurance. No painting or repairs. Blocks laid rapidly and require little mortar. Plastering may be done on back of blocks, saving lathing. Free from rats, mice and vermin. Can be molded into most elaborate designs. Thoroughly durable, becoming harder with age. Hollow space useful for inserting gas pipe, electric wires, speaking tubes, ventilators, etc.

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We Are Prepared to Deliver well Seasoned Blocks and Will Furnish Estimates on any Building

THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, ILL., APRIL 22, 9:50 a.m.
The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:

Fair and warmer tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness and warmer with showers in south portion.

For the week commencing April 9, 1905.

	Max.	Min.	Precep.
Sunday	45	28	—
Monday	42	29	—
Tuesday	51	32	—
Wednesday	35	55	—
Thursday	68	41	.22
Friday	—	—	—
Saturday	53	34	—

Easter Dyes, each package containing a variety of colors, tints and transfer pictures 5c.
Walgreen-Davis Co.

Bill For Teachers.

A bill to require teachers to take examinations in Illinois history and civics was passed this week by the house of representatives at Springfield.

Reading Club to Meet.

The Peoria Avenue Reading Club will meet with Mrs. C. G. Smith Monday afternoon.

—Mrs. Bert Journey is visiting in Sterling.

—J. H. Kenneth came home today from a western trip.

—Mrs. Geo. H. Squires has returned from a visit with her son in Troy, N. Y.

—O. H. Martin came home today from a business trip to Sycamore and Mt. Carroll.

—C. H. Wooster and Conrad Aschenbrenner are the new members of the school board in Amboy.

—Mrs. E. B. Owens is entertaining her father and mother of Spruce Creek, Pa. Mr. Isit is one of the leading citizens and capitalists of that section.

—G. A. Webb is visiting at the home of his sister Mrs. J. E. Wheelock. Dr. and Mrs. Wheelock and Mr. Webb will spend Sunday with relatives at Lyndon. Mr. Webb is a student in the law department of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

THE BARGAIN COUNTER

Merchants to Their Patrons.

County Treasurer's Notice.

For the convenience of those who cannot leave their work during the day, I will be at the office the following evenings—April 18th, 22nd, 25th and the 27th.
8877 W. B. MERRIMAN.

See the Bold Bank Robbery. 90t4

WANTED

A boy to learn the printer's trade. Apply at this office. 91t7

If your eyes trouble you have them examined at Burkart's. It costs you nothing. 109 First St., Dixon, Ill.

Very Low Rates to Savannah, Ga.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold May 12, 13 and 14 with favorable return limits, on account of travelers Protective Association of America. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Excursion Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Via the North-Western Line, will be in effect from all stations May 12, 13, 9, 11, 12 and 13, with favorable return limits, on account of General Assembly of Cumberland Presbyterian church at Fresno. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout), less than three days enroute. Another fast train is "California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Street Car Business Improves.

Since the weather is becoming warmer, the street car business in Dixon is picking up rapidly, and it has become apparent that it will be necessary to have conductors on each of the city cars. This will be done probably some time during the first part of May.

—Miss Maude Hawken has returned from a visit at Freeport.

—Prof. G. C. Heritage went to Van Patten today and was doing some tile surveying for Frank Lyons near Harmon.

—Mrs. Linda Zarzer returned to Nachusa this afternoon after a visit at the Crawford home on Galena avenue.

THE GREAT EASTERN COFFEE AND TEA CO.

Needs no introduction in Dixon, having sold in hundreds of homes here for the past 11 years.

Importing All their own Goods, Roasting their own Coffees, Grinding their own Spices, Manufacturing their own Extracts. All Goods are insured Fresh and Pure, making their sale enormous all over the United States. The increase of our business in Dixon for the past four months under Mrs. Barry's management make it necessary to reach our customers better than in the old way. We are now nicely located at 110 Peoria Ave. in the store building known as the Sanitary Milk Depot, where Mrs. Barry will be glad to show goods and premiums. All Old Customers having dealt with Mr. Kennedy (our former representative) and holding tickets, should call on

MRS. BARRY, AT STORE, 110 PEORIA AVE. Telephone 486 Home Co.

WANTED

TO BUY—A few acres of land near Dixon, Ill. Suitable for "trucking" and fruit, state distance and price. B. & Co., care of Telegraph. 94t3

BY Manufacturing Corporation energetic honest man to manage branch office Salary \$25 monthly and commission minimum investment of \$500 in stock of Company required. Secretary, Box 401, Madison, Wis. 94t7

ENERGETIC man to establish business for Mfg. Sell retail trade Salary \$30 paid weekly, expenses advanced. Good route. Hustle more desired than experience. G. L. Sexton, Star Bldg., Chicago. 94t8

BY a reliable tailoring house in Chicago 2 salesmen to take orders for suits made to order, also 2 salesladies for tailor made skirts to order for Dixon and vicinity. Experience essential, but not necessary, highest commission paid. Apply to this office by letter. 94t6

HORSES and cows to pasture. Good pasture with water running continually. Inquire of John Fane. 94t7

FOR SALE

FRUIT Farms. Send for Fruit Farm Facts, map of the Fruit Belt, and New Catalogue of Farms, to the largest dealer in Michigan. Hemenway, South Haven, Mich. 94t1

25 ACRES of land, just beyond Milk Factory on Palmyra road. Electric car line near. G. C. Lovelead. 94t1

FOR RENT

ONE-HALF of double house, 6 rooms on 5th street between Crawford and Dixon avenues, including city water. Geo C. Lovelead. 94t3

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

A 12-ROOM house on First street, good condition, city water and gas, fine shade corner lot 50x150 feet. Will make very low price and take small place as part payment. Excellent location for roomers or boarders. F. E. Sittley Co. 94t3

—The Canon City Record of Wednesday, April 19th, gives the total conversions to date in the Sunday meetings as 627.

The Plymouth Clothing & Shoe Co.

112 First St.

Dixon, Ill.

NEW SPRING CLOTHING

For Easter.

Our Display of New Spring Suits for Men and Boys enables you to make your selection of your Easter outfit from the largest and most comprehensive assortment in Northern Illinois at satisfactory prices. All the prevailing Spring styles in Men's and Boys' Clothing are fully represented here. Handsomely tailored garments for Men and Boys, stylishly made in beautifully designed fabrics are here to choose from.

Boys' Clothing for Easter

Boys' Long Pant Suits, ages 14 to 20 years, in newest patterns and designs in double and single-breasted style at.....\$5, \$7.50, \$10 and 12
Boys' Knee Pant Suits in double-breasted and Norfolk style and the new Knickerbocker style, ages 8 to 16 years, at \$2, \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

Men's Suit Dept.

Men's Suits made from finest imported and domestic, tailored in the best possible manner—fit equal to custom made at...\$15, \$18 and \$20
Men's Suits made from stylish and durable fabrics—Worsted, Cheviots, Cassimeres and Tweeds at \$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50

New Spring Shoes for Men

All the new toes and lasts in Men's Fine Shoes for Spring. The renowned makes of Hathaway, Soule & Harrington and Florsheim & Co. are here to choose from in all the latest leathers—Patent Colt, Vici Kid Velour Calf and Phoenix Kid at \$2.95, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50

Spring Furnishings for Men

Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves and Neckwear. New Spring lines now on display.

New Spring Styles of Hats

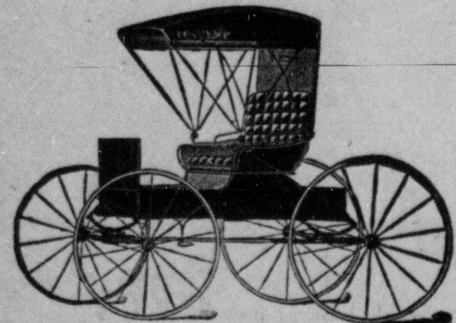
The Celebrated YOUNG'S HATS in Derby and Fedora, in all the latest shapes and colors, the equal of any \$5.00 Hat.....\$3.00

Men's Cravenette Rain Coats

at.....\$10.00 and \$15.00

The Plymouth

A CARLOAD OF VELIE BUGGIES AND SURRIES JUST IN



The best value for the money ever shown in Dixon. Also a few of the AMESBURY Surries and Stanhopes. These are the finest goods made.

C. J. Rosbrook

Put Your Money Into Shoes

That will hold their shape, look well and wear well.

FOSTERS' SHOES

For Ladies' and "Walk-Over" Shoes for Men will prove a good investment and a paying one. Sold by

Haley & Drew

115 First St.

Dixon, Ill.

Desirable Lots for Sale

IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE CITY

The Balmy Days of Spring are Here, When the Festive Contractor Doth Appear, And Thoughts Lightly Turn to Building a House up Here
In VAN EPP'S PARK, DIXON'S CHOICEST MOST CONVENIENTLY LOCATED ADDITION

Great Bargains are the Following Lots on East Third Street:

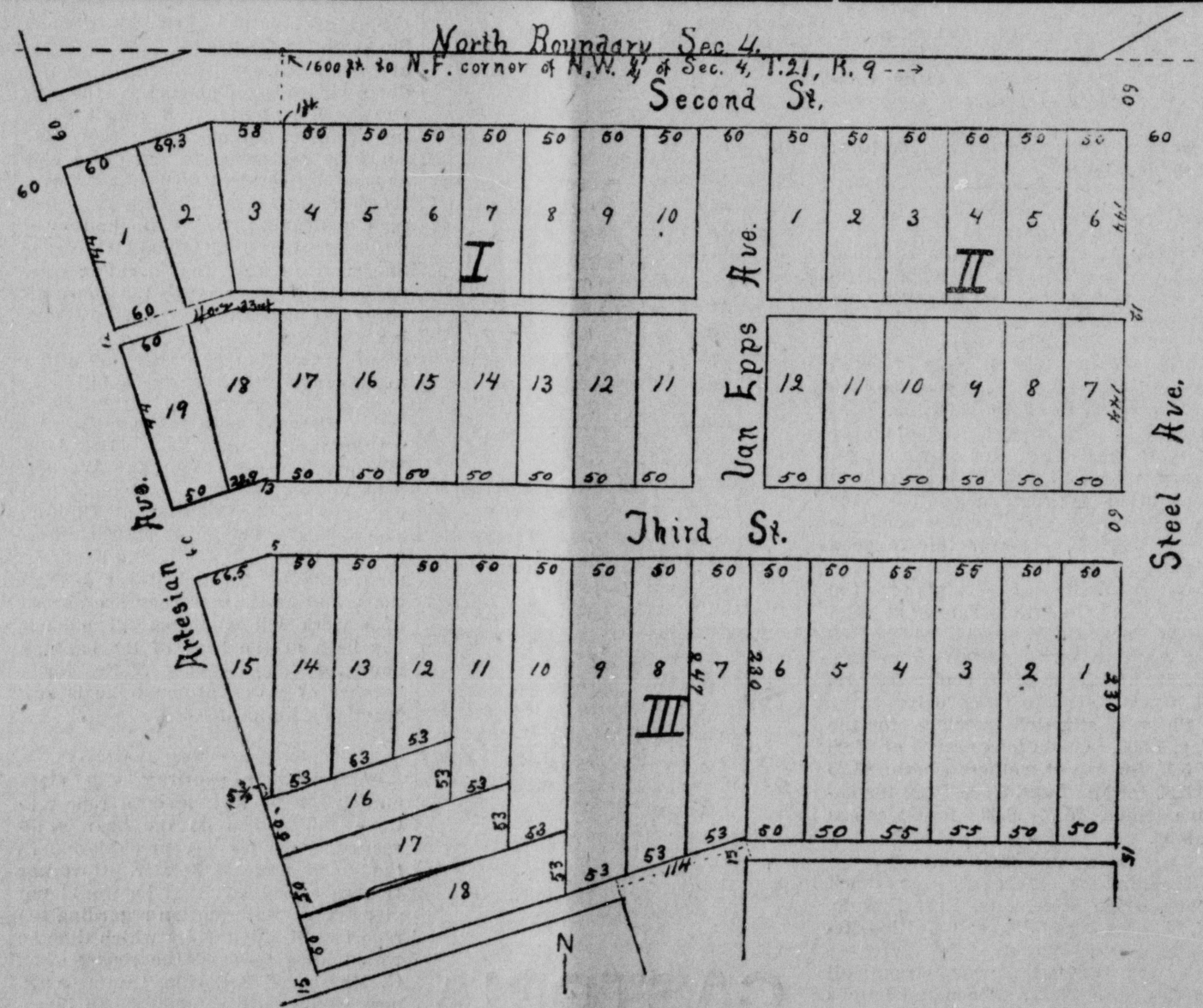
Lot No. 7, Block 2	\$400
" 9, " 2	400
" 10, " 2	450
" 12, " 2	500
" 13, " 1	450
" 14, " 1	400
" 15, " 1	350
" 16, " 1	350
" 17, " 1	300
" 1, " 3	450
" 7, " 3	450
" 8, " 3	450
" 9, " 3	450
" 10, " 3	400
" 11, " 3	350
" 12, " 3	350
" 13, " 3	300
" 14, " 3	250

Six Choice Lots on East Second Street at Very Reasonable Prices:

Lot No. 7, Block 1	\$700
" 8, " 1	675
" 9, " 1	675
" 10, " 1	750
" 5, " 2	500
" 6, " 2	600

Don't Overlook the Prices on These Three Artesian Place Lots.

Lot No. 16, Block 3	\$200
" 17, " 3	150
" 18, " 3	100



Your Attention is Called to the Following Choice Pieces of Property Located in Various Parts of Our Beautiful City. For Sale:

- 9-Room House, corner Ottawa Ave. and Fifth St., lot 75x150, Price.....\$3200
- Fine Lot on Peoria avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets..... 1500
- House on South Galena avenue, 2 blocks from court house; cheap at..... 2300
- Fine Lot on East Second street, 2 blocks from court house, 60x100 feet.
- Elegant Lot on Crawford avenue, only 2 blocks from court house; 75x150 feet, can be cut up into three 50x75 foot lots.
- Corner Lot on East Third street, 4 blocks east of court house, \$600; \$100 down, balance \$20 monthly payments.
- Lot on Galena avenue, 50x100 feet, between Fifth and Sixth streets..... 1200
- Lot on Fifth street, 50x100 feet, between Galena and Hennepin avenues..... 1100
- 5-Room House on Sherman avenue, between Third and Fourth streets—completed 6 months ago \$2100 \$900 down, Balance Easy Payments.
- Elegant House on North Dixon avenue, between Everett street and Fellows street, price..... 4000

FOR SALE AT VERY REASONABLE FIGURE My Residence Property at 718 E. Second St., lots 3 and 4, block 1, Van Epp's Park. Lots have frontage on Second St. 108 feet and are 144 feet deep. House has been completed 3 years, has all modern conveniences. Will sell very cheap for cash or will trade for good city property or farm land.

718 EAST SECOND ST.

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